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John and Esther Agard Genealogy

First Generation.

1 - John Agard 1st.
Born in 1640 at Toston Derbyshire England.
Married Esther ---------- born 1642 in England
Children: John 2nd. and possibly two other sons.

John and Esther with John 2nd. and other sons if any came to America some time after 1683 landing at Boston or Barnstable Mass. It is not definitely known whether John 1st. ever reached America, he may have been lost at sea or have died shortly after arriving in this country. Esther, a widow, then married Samuel Storr and they with her son, John 2nd moved to Mansfield, Conn. in 1698. Esther died in Mansfield and was buried there. Her grave is marked by a monument on the Storr burial ground.

Second Generation.

2 - John Agard 2nd. (1 - John Agard 1st.)
Born July 16, 1683 in England.
Married Mehitable ---------- on July 8, 1709
Children: 3.1 Soloman
3.2 John 3rd.
3.3 Joshua

John Agard 2nd. came to America with his parents landing in Massachusetts. After the death of his father he moved to Mansfield, Conn. with his mother and step-father in 1698.

Third Generation.

3.2 John Agard 3rd. (2-John Agard 2nd)
Born April 11, 1712 at Mansfield Conn.
Married Mary (Mason) Horsford, widow, born August 30 1715, died May 29 1807 at the age of 92 years.
Children: 4.1 Joseph
4.2 Judah
4.3 Noah
4.4 Hezekiah
Two daughters

3.3 Joshua Agard (2-John Agard 2nd.)
Children; 4.5 Amos

Fourth Generation.

4.1 Joseph Agard (3.2 John Agard 3rd.)
Born August 17 1746 at Litchford Conn.
Died August 25 1836 at Smithville Flats N. Y.
Children: 5.1 Erastus

Joseph Agard owned a general store in Smithville Flats N.Y. and was one of the leading citizens. He was a private in Capt. Pierce's company, Col. Graham's Reg't. New York during the Revolutionary War. D.A.R. lineage book 113957. He was present at the surrender of General Burgoyne.

4.2 Judah Agard (3.2 John Agard 3rd.)
Born August 15 1753 in Litchfield Conn.

Judah Agard was in the Continental Army during the Revolutionary War. He was a private in the Conn. militia Company No. 6, Capt. Joel Golbert. Litchfield census of 1790.

Note. A powder horn used by either 4.1 Joseph Agard or 4.2 Judah Agard during the Revoluntionary War is now in the possession of Will G. Kelley.

Fourth Generation.

4.3. Noah Agard (3.2 John Agard 3rd.)
Born May 3, 1756 at Litchfield Conn.
Married Lucina Jones at Catherine New York.
Lucina Jones was the daughter of Eaton and Elizabeth (Catlin) Jones, D.A.R. lineage books 83772 and 4873. She wasaa descendant of Theopolis Eaton (1590-1658), first governor of New Haven colony and Sir William Jones of England. She was born 1758, died January 6, 1841 buried in the cemetery near Cayuta New York.

Noah Agard died July 26 1840 at Catherine New York. He was buried in the family lot in a small cemetery near Cayuta, New York.

Children: 5.2 Clarissa (1780-1851)
5.3 S amuel (1782-1861)
5.4 Horace (1785-1850)
5.5 Lucina (1788-1827)
5.6 Eaton (1790-1863)
5.7 Maria (1794-1869)
5.8 Harriet Beardsley (1796-1870)
5.9 John W. (1799
5.10 Loraine Beardsley (1803-1866)

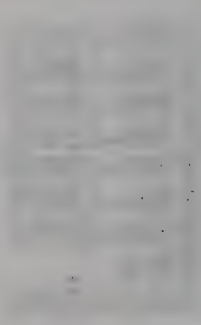
Noah Agard volunteered in 1775 as a private in Col Van Schialis Reg't. in Conn. The Reg't was then on its way to join Montgomery at Quebec. He applied for a pension in 1818 which was allowed. D.A.R. 52392. After the Revolutionary War Noah returned to Litchfield Conn. where all of his children were born. When he left Litchfield for the west in 1813 he selected the site of his home farm one mile northwest of Cayuta N. Y. and 25 or 30 miles northwest of Owego New York in the hamlet of Alpine, Schuyler county N. Y. That was the Agard family home and there is a small cemetery having an Agard plat surrounded by an iron fence where many Agards are buried.

NOTE. Theopolis Eaton is buried in the church yard behind the old church on the Common at New Haven Conn.

4.4. Amos Agard (3.3. Joshua Agard)
Children: 5.11 Anna Norton
5.12 Hannah Eggleston

Fifth Generation.

5.1 Erastus Agard (4.1 Joseph Agard)
Children: 6.1 Erastus
6.2 John (Doctor)
6.3 George
6.4 Francis (Judge or Doctor)

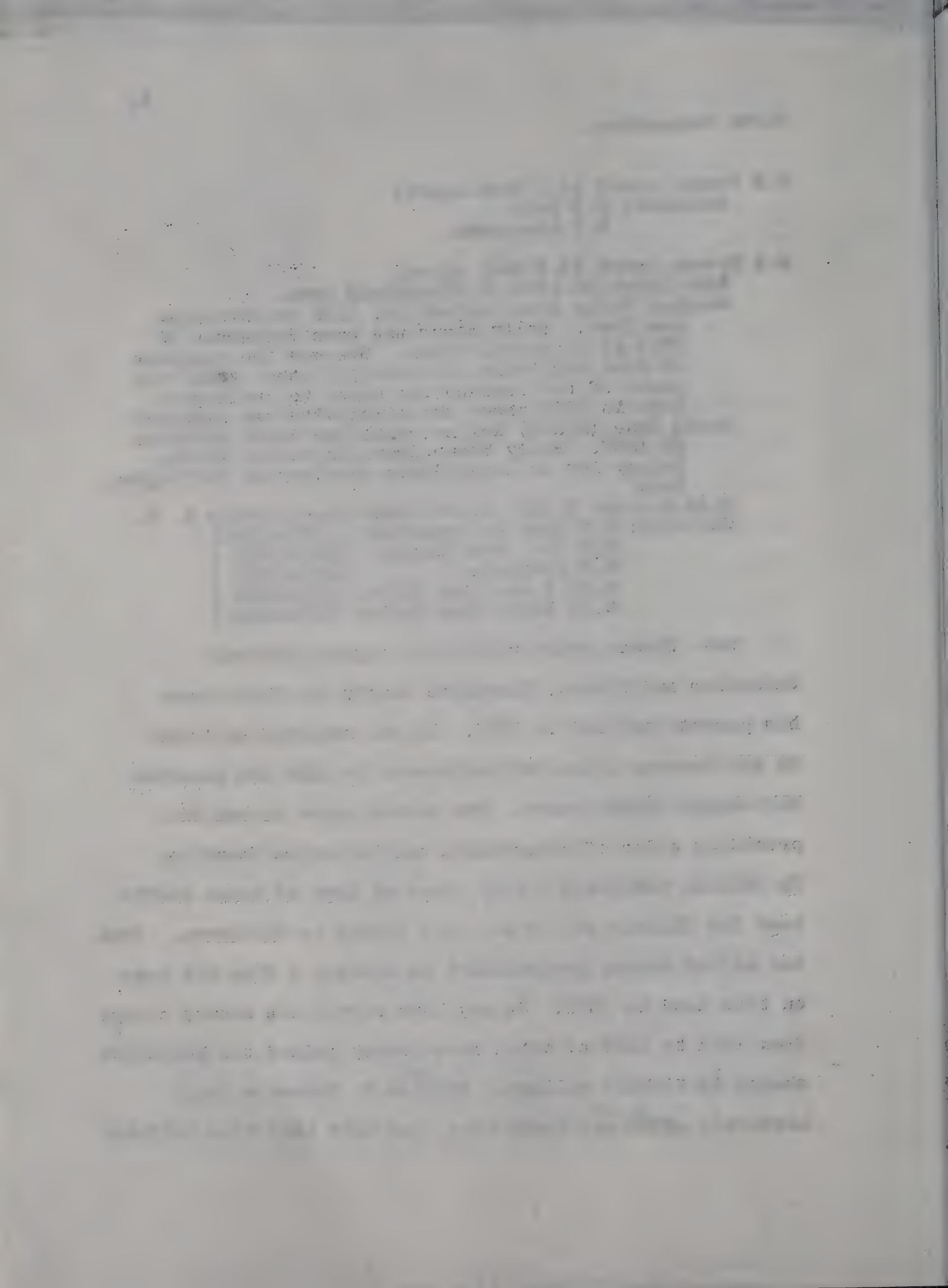


Fifth Generation.

5.2 Samuel Agard (4.3 Noah Agard)
Children: 6.5 Noah
6.6 Alexander

5.3 Horace Agard (4.3 Noah Agard)
Born March 26 1785 at Litchfield Conn.
Married Polly Stone August 14, 1808 at Catherine New York. Polly Stone was born September 26 1783 at Litchfield Conn. She was the daughter of John and Lowly (Waterman) Stone. After the death of her husband she moved to Burlington Iowa in 1855 where she lived with her daughter Maria Jane (Agard) Kelley until her death November 25 1867. Polly Stone Agard is buried in the Kelley lot in Aspen Grove cemetery at Burlington, Iowa
Died January 8 1850 at his home near Nichols N. Y.
Children: 6.7 Mary A. Broadhead (1810-1848)
6.8 Rev. John Wesley (1811-1881)
6.9 Ludvisha (1812-1820)
6.10 S arah Ann White (1814-1896)
6.11 Maria Jane Kelley (1820-1881)

Rev. Horace Agard resided as a young mannear Catherine and Odessa, Thompkins County New York where his parents settled in 1813. He was received on trial in the Genesee Methodist conference in 1819 and preached for nearly thirty years. For eleven years he was the presiding elder of Susquehanna and Berkshire Counties. In 1826 he purchased thirty acres of land of Peter Joslin near the Nichols end of the toll bridge to Smithboro. With the aid of Asbury parishioners he erected a fine old home on this land in 1828. He may have served the Asbury charge from 1824 to 1835 at which date Asbury joined the Methodist church in Nichols village. William F. Warner a local historian of Horace Agard time, has left this fine tribute:



"He was notable for his dignified character and solid worth, as a man and minister of the church in which he was a leader for many years."

Asbury Church and the Horace Agard home are still standing in a good state of repair, (1950).

6.6 Eaton Agard (4.3 Noah Agard)
Born 1790 in Litchfield Conn.
Wife's name not known
Died October 7 1863 at or near Litchfield Conn.
Children: 6.12 Arabell Norton
6.13 Eaton J.
6.14 Daniel

Sixth Generation.

6.5 Noah Agard (5.2 Samuel Agard)
Children? 7.1 Herbert
7.2 Samual
7.3 Eaton
7.4 Noah
7.5 John
7.6 Elizabeth

6.7 Mary Agard Broadhead (5.3 Horace Agard)
Born 1810 in Litchfield Conn.
Married Elija Shoemacker Broadhead June 26 1830
Died January 5 1848 at Nichols N. Y. Buried in the churchyard west of Asbury Church where a tombstone marks her grave.
Children: 7.7 Frances Milliken born April 23 1834
7.8 John Avery born June 7 1836

Mary (Agard) Broadhead was bequeathed at the death of her father a house lot in the village of Owego on the north side of Main Street which he purchased of Daniel Ely on the first day of June 1343 recorded in the Book of Deeds No. 41 & page 269. The property to be held in trust by Samuel N. White and Prestice Ransom for her exclusive benefit. Elija Shoemacker Broadhead was the son of S amuel and Hannah (Shoemacker) Broadhead.

6.8 Rev. John Wesley Agard (5.3 Horace Agard)
Born May 6 1811 at Odessa N. Y.
Married Martha P. Thomas
Died October 11 1881 at Chicago Illinois

Sixth Generation.

6.10 Sarah Ann (Agard) White (5.3 Horace Agard)
Born October 1 1813 in Schuyler County N. Y.
Married Samuel N. White May 7 1835 at Binghampton P.O. N.Y. Samuel White was the son of Israiel White (born June 5 1757 died February 18 1834) and Lucy Avery (born 1779 died July 11 1844). Samuel N. White was born August 22 1811 in Columbia County N. Y. died October 22 1890 on his farm four miles southwest of Martinsburg, Iowa. He was buried in a country cemetery about a mile east of this farm.
Died November 25 1896 on the family farm near Martinsburg Iowa. She was buried in a country cemetery about a mile east of the family farm.
Children: 7.9 Leonidas Hamlin

Sarah Ann (Agard) White with her husband and son moved west to Iowa about 1855. After investigating several locations they finally settled on a farm four miles southeast of Martinsburg where Samuel White homesteaded 640 acres in Wapello County. This farm has been occupied continuously by the White family and a part of it is now (1950) being farmed by two of the great grand sons.

6.11 Maria Jane (Agard) Kelley (5.3 Horace Agard)
Born March 5 1820 at Catherine N. Y.
Married Appleton S. Kelley June 1 1858 at Nichols NY.
Died July 24 1881 in Burlington Iowa. She was buried on the Kelley lot in Aspen Grove cemetery at Burlington Iowa.
Children: 7.10 Horace Agard Kelley

Maria Jane (Agard) Kelley's husband Appleton S. Kelley died January 21 1851 2 year 7 months after their marriage leaving her a widow with a son eighteen months old. In 1854 she moved to Mount Pleasant Iowa as a member of the faculty of Iowa Wesleyan University holding the chair of English Literature.

Maria Jane (Agard) Kelley married Levi Hager, a widower, March 7 1861, and moved to Burlington, Iowa

where she lived on South Sixth Street until the time of her death. Levi Hager was born March 20 1806 in Uniontown Pennsylvania, died November 1 1870 in Burlington Iowa and was buried in Aspen Grove cemetery in the Kelley lot.

Maria Jane (Agard) Kelley was a very well educated woman and most of the data for this genealogical sketch was obtained from records preserved by her and by her daughter-in-law Mary (Carleton) Kelley verified by other records and visits to many of the locations named by Will G. and Frances (Fenton) Kelley.

Seventh Generation

7.7 Frances (Broadhead) Milliken 6.7 Mary (Agard) Broadhead
Born April 23 1834 at Owego N. Y.

7.8 John Avery Broadhead 6.7 Mary (Agard) Broadhead
Born June 7 1836 Owego N. Y.
Married Tillie A. White June 19 1865
Children: May (Broadhead) Wallace (8.1)
John C. (8.2)

The John Avery Broadheads lived in Mount Pleasant Iowa and it was there that Tillie (White) Broadhead's funeral took place October 12 1867.

719 Leonidas Hamlin White (6.10 Sarah Ann (Agard) White)
Born March 21 1851 in Owego N. Y.
Married Martha J. Hawthorn November 11 1874
Martha J. Hawthorn was born March 27 1857 died July 11 1931 buried in a cemetery near the family farm at Martinburg Iowa.
Died July 31 1926 and buried in a cemetery near Martinsburg Iowa.

Leonidas H. White inherited the Family farm uppn the dea th of his father and lived there until the time of his death. He early recognized the value of thorough-bred cattle and was amont the first farmers to introduce Hereford stock in central Iowa.

Children: 8.3 Charles Arthur
8.4 Leona Florence (White) Speirs

7.10 Horace Agard Kelley (6.11 Maria Jane (Agard) Kelley)
Born July 18 1849 at Owego N. Y.
Married Mary Martha Carleton June 1872 at Iowa City, Iowa
Died June 7 1908 New York City
Children: 8.5 C arleton Augustus
8.6 Horace Alcinous
8.7 Will Ghost

For further details see genealogy of the Kelley family

8.1 May (Broadhead) Wallace (7.8 John Avery Broadhead)
Married Henry Wallace
Children: 9.1 Henry Agard Wallace

8.2 John Cappelle Broadhead (7.8 John Avery Broadhead)
Born December 1870 in New York City

John C. Broadhead was christened March 3 1871 at Mount Pleasant Iowa. Maria Jane (Agard) Hager (6.11) was his God Mother.

8.3 Charles Arthur White (7.9 Leonidas Hamlin White)
Born July 29 1875 Martinsburg Iowa
Married Emma Shaw
Children: 9.2 Donald
9.3 Ella

8.4 Leona Florence (White) Speirs (7.9 Leonidas Hamlin White)
Born July 23 1877 Martinsburg Iowa
Married March 14 1906 at Martinsburg Iowa
Children: 9.4 Myrnie
9.5 Marion

8.5 C arleton Augustus Kelley (7.10 Horace Agard Kelley)
Born June 29 1873 at Burlington Iowa
Married October 22 1910 at Trinadad Colo. Ina Young
Died ..... Riverside, Cal.
Children: 9.6 Kathleen (Kelley) Harris
9.7 Patricia (Kelley) Mason

8.6 Horace Alcinous Kelley (7.10 Horace Agard Kelley)
Born January 7 1876 at Burlington Iowa
Married April 11 1913 Grace Lucas
Died
Children: 9.8 Horace Alcinous, Junior
9.9 Jeanne Louise (Kelley) McKim
9.11 Frances Paloma (Kelley) Coburn

8.7 Will Ghost Kelley (7.10 Horace Agard Kelley)
Born February 8 1879 at Burlington Iowa
Married Frances Elizabeth Fenton September 1 1923
at Hinsdale Ill.
Children: 9.12 Fenton Crosland
9.13 Will Ghost, Junior
9.14 Mary Frances

State of New York

SS

Tioga County

On this sixth day of September 1820 personally appeared in Open Court Noah Agard aged 64 years, resident in the town of Catherine in said county, the first being duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath declare that he served in the Revolutionary war as follows: For the term of one year commencing in the month of December (according to the bestof his recollection) in the hear 1775 under Captain Martin in a regiment commanded by Colonel Van Schaickin the New York Line- That in conformity with the law of the United States of the 18th of March 1818 relative to revolutionary pensions he made application for a pension. That his declaration for that purpose was dated May 12, 1812: That a certificate was granted in his favor, dated June 14th 1819 and numbered (11,648)

Signed Noah Agard

And I Noah Agard do solumnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States on the 18th day of March 1818 and that I have not since that time by gift, sale, or in any manner disposed of my property, or any part thereof, with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provisions of an act of Congress entitled "An act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and Naval services of the United States in the revolutionary war," passed on the 18th day of March 1818 and that I have not, nor has any person in trust for me, any property or securities, contracts or debts due me, nor have I any other income than what is contained in the schedule herein written and by subscribed.
I have no real estate.
I have personal property as follows:-

1 Wash bowl
3 Spoons
1 Canister for tea
1 1 Tin coffee pot
2 Puter basins(old
3 Puter plates (old)
1 Iron candlestick
1 Wooden bottle
1 Glass bottle
3 Earthen plates

2 Barrels (old)
1 Half bushel measure
1 Small ox
1 Mare colt
3 Pigs

I have no debts due me. I owe to Doctor George Hibbard thirty nine dollars and seventy five cents, and to Doctor Oliver C. Comstock nine dollars and ninety five cents.
I am by occupation a farmer, but am not able to lavor any of consequence. I am lame in both of my legs, I have been ever since I left the army. I am likeways troubled with a weakness of the stomach, and a raising of blood. My family consists of five in number, to wit, myself, my wife Lucina, aged 62 years, who is of a

weakly constitution, and able to do but very little towards her own support, My daughter Lucina whose age is 32 years, whose health is pretty good, who would not reside with me were it not for the purpose of taking care of her sister Maria, whose age is 26 years who has been sick for more than two years past and is wholly unable to contribute to her own support. And my daughter Lorain who is seventeen years old in pretty good health and able to contribute considerably toward her own support.

Signed Noah Agard.

Sworn and declared on this 6th day of September 1820 before me in Open Court.

Signed Camaliel W. Flanston,
First Judge.

Tioga County
Clerks Office

I certify that it is the oppinion of the said Court that the total amount in value of the property exhibited in the foregoing schedule is fifty nine dollars, twelve cents.

Sept. 6, 1820 Signed T. Madwell, Clark

Will

Know all men by these presents:

That I Horace Agard, of the town of Nichols County of Tioga & State of New York, by the grace of God in the possession of all my mental faculties & of my own free will & accord in view of my own mortality, do, on this the sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty four, execute, seal, sign and deliver this my last will & testament in words & figures following, viz,

To my wife Polly I give & bequeath the entire use & exclusive benefit during her natural life of all that piece or parcel of land on which I now reside, it being thirty acres of land more or less which I purchased of Peter Joslin on the seventh of Oct. in the year 1826 & the Deed recorded in the Clerks office in Book No. 18 Page 241, on the 10th of October of the same year (not heretofore disposed of) and all the appurtenances thereunto belonging and I further will that after the death of my wife Polly said property shall be disposed of among all my children as to make each an equal sharer in the profits of my estate and as will be hereinafter described: Also to my wife Polly I give one cow to be by her selected & grain & all other provisions for her use for one year from the time of my decease with all our household furniture, to be used or disposed of at her discretion & for her benefit:

To my daughter Mary A Brodhead wife of Elijah S. Brodhead I give & bequeath the following pieces & parcels of property hereinafter described & in the following manner, (viz), I give & devise to Samuel N. White of Nichols & Prentice Ransom, of Owego, Trustees, in trust for my daughter Mary A. Brodhead wife of said E.S. Brod. of Owego all that certain piece of land, viz, a house lot in the Village of Owego on the north side of Main Street which I purchased of Daniel Ely on the first day of June in 1843 the deed being recorded the same day in the Book of Deeds No 41 & page 269 which with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging shall be estimated at seven hundred dollars & no more: said Trustees are to have & hold said property for the said Mary in fee- In trustthey are to receive & collect all issues, rents & profits thereof & pay the same to my daughter the said Mary, to her sole & separate use without the controul * of her husband for & during her natural life & after her death for her children till they arrive at the full age of 21 years. And in case she should leave no children then to her lawful heirs. And after the decease of my daughter Mary & the lawful majority of her children the said Trustees are hereby directed to release the s^d devised premises to her children or heirs. And in case the said property above described should be found at and after the death of my wife Polly to be less than the equal share of each heir & legatee then & in that case my executors shall set off to her by appraisal so much of my freehold estate in Nichols or elsewhere as added to the $700. above described shall make her equal with each of the other children, and the said Trustees are hereby requested & requirud to receive in trust this additional legacy & manage the same as in the case above described & under the same circumstances to make a release to her heirs. And should either of the said Trustees decease before the said Mary or while her children are yet minors it shall be the privilege of the said Mary if living, if not, of the minor children thereof with the surviving Trustee to appoint a successor who shall have the same powers as the original Trustee.

To my son John Wesley Agard I give & bequeath one equal share of what I have at my death and also an equal share of the widow's share at her

To my daughter Sarah A. White, the wife of Samuel N. White I give & bequeath one equal share with my other heirs with an equal dividend after the death of her mother. This bequest shall however be so under her own control that she can dispose thereof or change it for other property at her pleasure, I having the fullest conviction that the legatee ought to be the sole proprietor of the paternal inheritance, and that it should either pass on to the succeeding generation or return to the lawful heirs of the legator.

To my daughter Maria Jane Agard I give & bequeath an equal share with each of the other heirs. I will however that this legacy be at least one half in land or freehold estate property - the title of which be vested in herself so that it cannot be disposed of without her consent or but for her own liabilities.

Further I give to my wife Polly & each of the surviving heirs at my death as a "keepsake" an equal share in my library. And as it is my will that all my children share equally in what a kind Providence permits me to leave at my death so I hereby direct my executors to examine my book of accounts at the pages 80-81-82 & 83 & to audit the accounts there charged & make the amounts without interest parts of the legacy of each against whom charged

I further will that all claims for & against my estate be duly arranged by my executors before the division amongst the legatees that each may as nearly as may be after my death be made equal sharers in my estate & after the death of the said Polly, my wife, exactly equal, all property being appraised except the house lot in Owego assigned to Mary at $700.00

It is my will that the cause of missions to the heathen & the preaching of the gospel to the poor may be considered as having a strong claim on available funds not otherwise needed but at the discretion of the legatees as a free will offering that on them may come the blessings of those who were ready to perish

To execute this my last will and testament I do hereby appoint Polly Agard my wife, Samuel N White my son-in-law & Maria Jane Agard my daughter who shall make a just & impartial settlement of matters contained in this will according to the expressed sentiments thereof

Finally I give my spirit to God whose I am & whom I wish to serve together with all the above named persons as a reasonable sacrafice to his paternal care & safe keeping both now & forever In witness whereof I have hereinto set my hand & seal on this the day & year first above written In presence of-

Gardner Knapp of Nichols in the County of Tioga & State of New York) Horace Agard (Seal)
Thomas Pearsall of the same place)

"A. Codicil

Whereas I Horace Agard who executed the above will have realized some change in circumstances so I add this appendage to said will as my last will & testament, to wit,

To Frances A. Brodhead daughter of the before mentioned E. S. & Mary A. Brodhead or her heirs I give & bequeath fifty dollars to be paid by my Executors when she shall arrive at her lawful majority that is to say on the twenty third of April 1855

To John A. Brodhead son of E. S. and M. A. Brodhead or his heirs I give & bequeath fifty dollars to be paid by my executors when he shall arrive at his lawful majority- that is to say on the 7th of June 1857

In case of the decease of either child the surviving child shall be considered the heir according to the intention of this instrument. In case of the decease of both children the above sums shall be applied to the missionary Society- in the words following

I give unto the missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church formed in the City of New York in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred & nineteen the sum of one hundred dollars for the purpose of the said society & for which the receipt of the treasurer thereof shall be a sufficient discharge

Whereas the aforesaid will secures to Mary A. Brodhead & her children a certain house & lot in the Village of Owego, so I will & direct that in the event of the decease of herself & both of her children before they arrive at their lawful majority, then & in that case said property shall be disposed of & the proceeds thereof divided into three equal parts, one of which shall go to E. S. Brodhead or his heirs another part to my lawful heirs & the remaining part to the missionary Society of the M E. Church according to the above form of the bequest any thing in the aforesaid will to ching this point to the contrary notwithstanding. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal on this 27th day of July 1847

In presence of Gardner Knapp residing in Nichols) Horace Agard (Seal)
in the County of Tioga & State of New York: Th *)
S. Pearsall of the same place)

* So in the recording

Contributed by Mrs. Will G. Kelley, Regent
Kaskaskia Chapter, 1952-54

MARIA JANE AGARD KELLEY HAGER

We have been unable to find much information concerning the life of Mrs. Kelley other than what is contained in the various histories of the school.

1854 - 55 - preceptress
1855-56 - "
1856-57 - "
1857-58 - preceptress and professor of the theory and practice of music
1858 -59 - preceptress and professor of natural history
1859-60 - " " " " " "
1860-61 - preceptress and professor of natural history

We cannot find that she ever taught English literature while on the faculty of Iowa Wesleyan University.

Mrs. Kelley came to the faculty during the administration of James Harlan, the man who is given credit for raising the standards of the Mt. Pleasant Collegiate Institute to college level thus causing the institution to be renamed Iowa Wesleyan University. Winfield Scott Mayne was the first graduate of the University, the sole member of the Class of 1856.

Iowa Wesleyan was one of the early co-educational schools. Undoubtedly many problems arose in this "new trend." The following quotes suggest one:

"Every new movement encounters opposition as well as favor, and many arguments, some amusing, some futile and other difficult to overcome are present for and against it, and the attempt to found a literary society for girls at I.W.C. was no exception to the general rule, for as yet the new and modern woman had not appeared.

"The mothers had primitive ideas of what girls should learn and fear that a literary society would make them masculine in their actions, so Senator Harlan and his efficient helper, Mrs. M.J.A. Kelley, Ph.D., had to labor earnestly with the mothers to secure their consent to such an innovation as their daughters joining a literary society. In 1855, the first girls' society was organized by President Harlan and Mrs. Kelley, bearing the name "Cornelian", and their badge being a Cornelian ring, one of which each member possessed. They were organized in an upper room of the old Pioneer Building." (Historical Sketch and Alumni Record of Iowa Weslan College by Ben Hur Wilson, 1917)

"About the same time the Hamline Society was established, the women reorganized their society and adopted Cornelian as its name. It is said that President Harlan and the preceptress, Mrs. M.J.A. Kelley, found it necessary to persuade some of the hesitating mothers that this innovationwas quite proper for their daughters." (A Centennial History by C. J. Kennedy, 1942)

The following quote makes reference to her resignation and the times during the Civil War:

"The war also affected the school in other ways as well. The only active faculty member who had been with the school since 1854 was Mrs. M.J.A. Kelley Hager. Apparently Mrs. Hager was too sympathetic toward the Confederacy. She resigned in June, 1861, because of the Union sentiments in the University. Some students joined the Union army. At least one former student enlisted in the Confederate army; there may have been more. But the enrollment did not decrease as much the first year as was expected. "(A Centennial History by C.J. Kennedy, 1942)

According to the catalogs of the University at that time, Mrs. Kelley held Bachelors and Master of Arts degrees. She is supposed to have received a doctor of Philosophy degree sometime after her term at Wesleyan. It is suggested in Mr. Kennedy's history that she was the first woman to receive a PHD in the United States. We have checked with a recent publication called Famous First Facts by Joe Nathan Kane. It is stated there that the first PhD was granted by Boston University in 1877 to Helen Magill(Mrs. Andrew Jackson White).

Another point of interest: In the the catalog of 1860-61, the name Hager appears for the first time.

THE WILL

In the name of God Amen - I Josiah Kelly of the Town of Owego in the County of Tioga State of New York being of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding - do hereby make and Decree this to be my Last Will and Testament as follows, To wit,-

First, I Will & direct that all my Legal and Just debts and funeral charges be paid by my Executors hereinafter named

Item 1st - I give and bequeath to my wife Athalia all my Household Goods bedsteads, beds, beding and other furniture for and during her natural life

Item 2d - I Give Devise and bequeath to my said Wife Athalia for and during her natural Life one third of all my estate both real and personal not herein otherwise disposed of being my homestead farm containing about ninety two acres whereon I now reside, together with the Dwelling house out houses and appurtenances thereto belonging -

Item 3d - I Give and bequeath to my Daughters Maria and Emily respectively when my Daughter Emily shall have become Eighteen years of Age or when Maried each one cow, Six Sheep together with as much household furniture as I have Given to my Daughter Sarah Ann

Item 4th - I give Devise and bequeath all the rest residue and remainder of my estate and effects real and personal not herein otherwise disposed of (after payment of my Debts Legacies and funeral charges) to my son Appleton

S - And Lastly I do hereby nominate and apoint my said Son Appleton S and my said wife Athalia Executors of this my Last Will and Testament & hereby revoking all and every former Will by me made -

In witness whereof I have set my hand & seal this 3d day of August the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty one

Signed Sealed & Delivered by the Testator Josiah Kelly to be his Last Will & Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as

Witnesses) Josiah Kelly (L S)

Daniel Dodge of the Town of Owego

Edmund Dodge of the Town of Owego

Recorded February 14^{h} 1842

N. W. Davis Surrogate

*So in the recording

Contributed by Mrs. Will G. Kelley, Regent
Kaskaskia Chapter 1952-54

MARION CARNEGIE LIBRARY
Marion, Iowa

December 14, 1950

Mrs. Will G. Kelley
730 Hibbard Road
Winnetka, Illinois

Dear Madam:

By reading the biographies of Joseph Barris Young, an early resident of Marion, Iowa, found in old Linn County histories and an 1875 Historical Atlas of the State of Iowa, the following information was found pertaining to his father, the Rev. Alcimus Young:

Rev. Alcimus Young: Born in Hillsboro County, N.H. Dec. 16th 1792. (December 16, 1792) He was of English descent, although three preceeding generations were American residents. He died in Marion, Iowa on March 30, 1876.

He was a Methodist minister, coming to Iowa in 1846. He established a number of church congregations and for several years, served as presiding elder.

His wife, Mary (Yost) Young, was born in Pennsylvania. She was of German-Irish desent, and died in Iowa City, Iowa in 1856.

The record, in the 1875 Atlas, of Joseph Barris Young, also stated that John Young, his paternal ancester (later referred to as his great grandfather, John Young) "received a large grant of land in Massachusetts from the King of England on which he settled at or near Salem in the early days of Colonial history."

"His great-grandfather, John Young, was noted in his day for his freedom of thought on religious subjects was a man of strong intellect and an author of considerable repute."

A library trustee, interested in Marion's history, aided in searching out this material.

Very sincerely yours,

MISS METTA WHITCOMB

Librarian

ALCINUS YOUNG

PITTSBURG CONFERENCE

1830-31 - (admitted on trial) Erie (Erie District)
1831-32 - Meadville Circuit (Erie District)
1832-33 - (full commitment) Youngsville.(Erie District)
1833-34 - Deerfield (Warren District)
1834-35 - Lisbon and Wellsville (Warren District)
1835-36 - Lisbon (Warren District)
1836 - 37 - superannuate
1837 - 38 - Wellsburgh (Wheeling district)
1838 - 39 - Wesley Chapel, Pittsburgh (Pittsburgh District)
1839-40 - " " " " "
1840-41 - " " " " ")
1841-42 - Monongahela City (Wheeling District)
1842-43 - Monongahela City " "
1843-44 - Uniontown (Uniontown District)
1844-45 - Redstone (Uniontown District)
1845-46 - " " "

IOWA CONFERENCE

1846-47 - Mt. Pleasant (Burlington District)
1847-48 - Iowa City Mission (Bloomington District)
1848-49 - " " " " "
1849-50 - Burlington (Burlington District)
1850-51 - Presiding Elder of Dubuque District
1851-52 - " " " " "
1852-53 - Presiding Elderof Iowa City District
1853-54 - " " " " "
1854-55 - " " " " "
1855-56 - " " " " "

UPPER IOWA CONFERENCE

1856-57 - Agent, Tract Society
1857-1876 - superannuate

"One of the original members of the Upper Iowa Conference was Alcinus Young. He was born in New Hampshire in 1796, converted in 1827 and admitted into the Pittsburg Conference in 1828. In every charge he had most gracious revivals and it is estimated that during the thirty years of his active ministry thousands were brought to Christ.

"In 1846 he was transferred to theIowa Conference and was appointed successively to Mt. Pleasant, Iowa City, Burlington, Dubuque District and Iowa City District. The latter district when traveled by Elder Young extended from the mouth of the Cedar River to the Minnesota line and included settlements on both sidesof the Iowa and Cedar Rivers. So great was the toil and exposure that his health became impaired and he rendered but little service after leaving the district.

"Alcinus Young was a man to be trusted. Perhaps few men in the ministry applied themselves more diligently to the work in hand than he. In the earlier part of his life, he secured a thorough knowledgeof God's word. The Greek testament became his constant companion. He was a good thinker, a sound preacher and a successful debater. At times his discourses were accompanied with great spiritual power. Always and everywhere in each responsible place in the church, his work was well done. For 19 years he was on the superannuate listof the Upper Iowa Conference, and was loved and revered by the entire Conference. In his last brief illness his mind was clear and he talked freely of going to meet loved ones on the other shore. When nearing the end he said exultingly: "I do not think this is dying, I am just beginning to live. Christians do not die." And thus in holy triumph his spirit passed away. He died in Marion, Iowa, March 30, 1876." (History of the Upper Iowa Conference, 1856-1906 by Stephen Morris Fellows, D.D., 1907.

Alcinous Young was born in New Hampshire, December 16, 1796, and died in Marion, Iowa, March 30, 1876, in his eightieth year. From early childhood he was taught to pray by a pious mother, and at the age of 21 united with the Presbyterian Church; but in 1827 after hearing the doctrines of Methodism preached, both he and his excellent companion were so impressed that they at once identified themselves with the Methodist Episcopal Church. Being after admitted into the Pittsburgh Conference. For six consecutive years he lived in the midst of the most gracious revivals on Erie, Meadville Youngville and Deerfield Circuits. On Lisbon and Steubenville Stations great additions were also made to the Church. On Meadville Circuits the membership was more than doubled, leaving it with over 500 members. At Wellsburgh, Virginia, where infidelity was intrenched such were the exhibitions of divine grace under Young's labors, that the strongholds of infidelity were completely overthrown. These manifestations continued through most of his itinerant career of nearly 30 years during which we may say thousands were brought to Christ. The other fields of labor in the Pittsburgh Conference were Wesley Chapel, Pittsburgh; Monongahela City, Uniontown Stations and Bestone Circuit.

In 1846 he was transferred to the Iowa Conference, and stationed successively in Mt. Pleasant, Iowa City, Burlington, Dubuque District, Iowa City District, and conference missionary one year. But his health had become so much impaired from toil and exposure that he was unable to do much effective service after the close of his term on the Iowa City District, which then extended from the mouth of the Cedar River to the north line of the State, including the settlements on both sides of the Iowa and Cedar Rivers. Roads were then unmade and streams unbridged, and settlements far distant from each other, and consequently he was compelled to endure the hardships of a pioneer life.

For 19 years his name has been on the superannuated list; but he has been loved and revered by the entire Upper Iowa Conference, as he was one of its original active members at its formation. In close proximity with the failure of his health was the departure of his

devoted and godly companion, of whom he often said she was one of the best women, and given to him in answer to prayer. Since her death he has been kindly and tenderly cared for by his children having his home most of the time in Iowa City with his daughter, Mrs. Judge Carlton, and for the last three years with his son, Hon. J. B. Young, Marion, Iowa. He occasionally assisted in the pulpit and other services of the sanctuary, always participating in the sacramental and love-feat meetings if his health would permit. During the week his time was mostly spent in reading books and periodicals, and especially the Book of Books. His Greek Testament was his constant companion, and to the last of life he was interested in comparing the different translations. He was a strong advocate and defender of Arminianism, and at one time he wrote and published an able work on this subject. He has occupied almost every important and responsible place in the Church, at one time adding to his other duties that of college professor, and always and everywhere his work was well done. His last sickness of physical decline lasted about five days. There was no violent disease. His mind was clear to the last, and his visions were of the pure and saintly, often speaking of children robed in white. He talked freely of going to meet the loved ones on the other shore. (written at his death and included in the General Conference Minutes, 1875-76)

CERTIFICATE) THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NO.7681)

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

WHEREAS Alcinous Young of Washington County Pennsylvania----------
has deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States, a Certificate of the REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE at Fairfield----------whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said Alcinous Young------- according to the provisions of the act of Congress of the 24th of April, 1820, entitled "An Act making further provision for the sale of the Public Lands," for the East half of the North West quarter and the North West quarter of the South West quarter of Section thirty Six, in Township seventy one North of Range Six West, in the District of lands subject to sale at Fairfield Town Territory Containing one hundred and twenty acres----------
according to the official plat of the survey of the said Lands returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General, which said tract has been purchased by the said Alcinous Young----------NOW KNOW YE, That the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the several acts of Congress, in such case made and provided, HAVE GIVEN AND GRANTED, and by these presents DO GIVE AND GRANT, unto the said Alcinous Young----------and to his heirs, the said tract above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD THE SAME, together with all the rights, privileges, immunities, and appurtenances of whatsoever nature thereunto belonging, unto the said Alcinous Young----------and to his heirs and assigns forever.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, James K. Polk, President of the United States of America, have caused these letters to be made PATENT, and the SEAL of the GENERAL LAND OFFICE TO BE HEREUNTO AFFIXED.

GIVEN under my hand at the CITY OF WASHINGTON, the First day of January in the year of our Lord One Thousand eight Hundred and Forty Six and of the INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the Seventieth

BY THE PRESIDENT: James K. Polk

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S. H. Laughlin, Recorder of General Land Office

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SHORT SKETCH OF THE BADGLEY FAMILY

Seeing that thare has hole Familyes disepeared since my recolection, I will give a short sketch of the Badgley Family, and Neighborhood. The Shooks have all disapeared, the Simpsons, the Beers, the Bonehams, the Marmies, the Hands, and Teters. None left to tell the story. Knowing that I must soon pass away I wish to leave this bit of history for future reference. Most of the above was relatives of the Badgleys. 1887

Next is Grand Father David Badgley. Rev. David Badgley. Rev. David Badgkey and Rohda Badgley, his wife, my Grand Parents on Father's side. Adam and Eva Stroud on Mother's side.

They all emigrated from Hardy Co. Virginia to this Country arriv- at Kaskaskia on the 4th of July in 1797. He left 300 acres of land on the Alagena Mountains, that he never sold and remains so to-day. He owned a Foundry there. He sold the foundry and took continental money and brought it to this country. Finaly they thought to be worthless it was distroyed in various ways.

Anthony Badgley a Brother of the Rev. David Badgley. He emigrated to this country with David. He had three sons and five daughters. Simon Badgley and Eliza Dixon is all that is now living. They still live on the Antony farm that he settled on about 1804. (this Feb. 1883). Anthony Badgley was born in 1760 in Hardy County, Virginia. Settled on a piece of land 4 miles North of Belleville where Antone Fournie now lives in 1804.

Lived in a tent until he could build a house. The house still standing. (this 1888). He died in 1837. He married a woman by the name of Elizabeth Denbo, age 78, better known as old Aunt Betty. They were members of the old Iron Side Baptist Church. They were much esteemed by all that knew them. They seemed to lave easy and contented, everything seemed to pass off smoothe and pleasant with them. Uncle used to have an old black bobtailed poney, on that he rode while he was out in the Ranger Service. He called it Darkey, he would get out on that poney to hoop up the hounds on the chase which he was quit fond of. He never craved office. Never in an uproro with his Neighbors. His family and number of grandchildren that lived to be grown: First, Hirum, eldest son of Anthony, married Rohda Hand, they had 1 boy and 2 girls. Third son. Butler, he married Elizabeth Smirls, they had 2 boys and 3 girls. Eldest Daughter of Anthony. Dema she married twice, last husband Seloman Teter. They had 2 girls Second daughter Nancy married a man by the name of Joseph Beer. They had 3 boys and 3 girls. Third daughter of Anthony, Elizabeth she married Thos. Beer, they had 4 boys and one girl. Four, Delina married Wm. Abbot, they had 2 girls. (5) Eliza married 3 times, last George Dixon, one boy and three girls.

Number of grandchildren, males 14, females 11

The boys side of the house, males 5, females 8,

Total number 38 of Anthony's Grandchildren.

His age was 77 years, his wife, her age was 78 years.

Simion Badgley born 1806, died Sept. 8th, 1890.

DAVID BADGLEY first settled 10 miles West of Waterloo on what is known as Bond's Lake and farmed thare. Then moved to the place where John Badgley now lives, his great grandson. He bought 400 acres of land there in 1804 and his descendants still own most of it yet. As the family married off they settled around him and followed farming too. His family consisted of five boys and four girls. The eldest Aaron, Jobe, David, Ichabod, Abrum, Girls, Mary Betsy, Rachel, Priscila. He was born in Essex Co. N. J. in 1749. Emigrated to Hardy Co. Va. in 1768. He formed the first Baptist Church west of the Ohio river in 1796. He died Dec. 1824, 75 years old. Rhoda, his wife, born 1752, died in 1835. Her maiden name, Rohda Volentine. His father was John of Long Island.

AARON BADGLEY, eldest son of Rev. David Badgley was born in Hardy County, Virginia, 1773, married Hethy Strawther. Moved to this country in 1797. His wife and 2 children died the first year that they was here. In 1799 he married Catherine Strother and they had five boys and three girls. Isac, Elijah, Adam, Strother and David. Girls, Jedida, Rebecca and Eva. They all raised families. He died Dec. 29th, 1858 being 85 years old. Was a member of the Baptist Church for 50 years. He served as justis of the Peace for 8 years and served as ranger on the fronteers in 1812 and 1815. He made a trip to Virginia in 1813 which took him 6 months on horseback when this was a teritory. He hauled the first goods to Springfield, that was sold thare. He hauled in the winter when it was very cold. The goods were for Gov. Edwards. Then Springfield was a small place, three log houses, one shoe shop, one blacksmith shop.

No bridges across the creeks after he left Edwardsville on Koka creek had to keep the dividin ridges between creeks. One night on the trip had camp out, Couldn't make from one settlement to the other. His camp was north of where Bunker Hill is now. He made three trips that winter. He had a five horse team. He took his son Adam with him, tho he was smal. In early days he had what they called a Band Mill to grind wheat and corn It was the only mill in 15 miles. His buggy then was a one horse cart there being no buggies in the country at that time. Men and Women all rode on horseback. In 1807 he took a trip acro the state in Arkansas a foot and alone. There was joined by Col. Titsworth and they in a Pirogue went down to the mouth of the Arkansas River to the Post of Arkansas, to assist one of his sisters with a small famil to move up to her father's That trip attended with great difficu and hardship. They attemptedto pack on horseback across to New Madrid without a road or guide, it being in dry season they suffered greatly for water, having been three days and nights without water. They finaly got through safe.

The family and number that was raised to be grown:

1. Isac married Unity Taylor, they had 4 boys and 5 girls,
2. Elijah married Sarah Simpson. She died then he married Emily Estes raised 6 boys and 5 girls.
3. Adam married Eva Zanes they had one boy and one girl.
4. Strother married Persila Tate, they 7 boys and 4 girls. Pers died then he married Emily Moore.
5. David married Amey Abbot, they had 3 boys and 5 girls.
6. Jedida married John Koen, They had 6 boys and 4 girls.

7. Rebcca married Wm. Tate, they had 2 boys and 6 girls.

The boys' grandchildren, males 17, females 15, total 32

The girls grand children, males 8, females 18, total 22

Total number of grandchildren of Aaron 54.

Jobe Badgley, second son of Rev. David Badgley was born in Hardy County, Virginia, Aug. 1st, 1788. He emigrated to this country with his father in 1797. He was raised on a farm but thinking a hard way of a living with the old wooden Mallord plow, wooden tooth harrow and the reap hook or sicle as it was called them days he took up the traid of making and laying brick. He made the first brick that was made in this part of th country in 1816. His kill was on the Branch west of John Hartman's house, at the old Ford, and the Branch has been called brickyard branch ever since. The brick he made was what they called slap brick, used no sand, the molds was diped in water, the brick was tuff enough but it was a terable gamey and nasty work. He married Micha Wilderman and improved the place where Joseph Million now lives. There he put up a sawmill alsoand run it with oxen. The oxen walked on a large inclined wheel. He also bought a water mill out on Silver Creek Sawmill .
He built the first Brick house where Centervill now is for a man by the of Glass. He built the first brick house on what is now the Westfield Plank Road at the junction of the Collinsville Road for one of the Whitesides, but the house like the builder has long since disepeared, Though brought up in early times he was no hunter. He raised a large family and it was a great place of resort. He went to Texas and died April 11th, 1854. His wife was born Dec. 12th, 1793.

Died Feb. 22, 1856. They raised 8 boys and 2 girls, this would be ten grandchildren of Rev. David.

John, Born Sept. 26th, 1813, died June 8th, 1852,

Benj. born Dec. 11th, 1816, died Sept. 11th, 1842,

David, born Apr. 25th, 1819, married twice, Harriet Badgley, she died, then he married Rohda Whitesides, they had 5 boys and 4 girls.

Aaron, born Jan. 29th, 1821, died March 25th, 1849, never married.

George, born Feb. 28th, 1826, died Feb. 1st, 1874. He married Rohda Brown, they had 2 boys and 4 girls.

Peter, born Aug. 30th, 1828, he married Rosetta Wilderman, they had 2 boys and 3 girls.

William W., born Feb. 22nd, 1832, married twice, first Sady Rettenhouse, second wife was America Rhoads, they had three boys and one girl.

Thos. died in infancy.

Emily, born Oct. 14th, 1811, died Oct. 4th, 1843, married Solaman Span. They had one boy and three girls.

Roseta, born Apr. 17, 1823, died March, 1854, Married Chas. Scott. They had three boys and two girls, making 17 girls and 16 boys, total 33 grandchildren of Jobe's.

DAVID, third son of Rev. David Badgley, born in Hardy County, Virginia. Emegrated to this country with his father in 1797 to buff agans the many hardships of a new country and the wild west. I never saw him but have herd the older ones talk about him. He was killed by a horse throwing him aganst a tree in 1811.

He married and raised four children:

Abslam, Abrum, Parscila and Sarah. His widow married a manby the name Porter. They had two sons.

This makes four grandchildren of Rev. David Badgley.

Percila married 4 times, first husband was Isac Ogle. She had 7 boys and 2 girls.

Sarah married Peter Caslin, they had one boy and two girls.

Abrum married Rebecca Simpson, they had 4 boys and 3 girls. He has been dead about thirty years.

Abslam married Nellie Enix, they have 2 boys and 5 girls. He was born in 1805. Nellie in 1804. This makes 26 grand of David, 14 males and 12 females.

Jan. 1890.

ICHABOD, fourth son of Rev. David Badgley was born in Hardy Co., Virginia, in 1780, died in St. Clair Co., Illinois, in 1856. He was married three times, his first wife was by the name of Betsy Atcheson He raised a family of two sons and seven girls. He settled on a place in the bottom on what is known as Bond's Lake in Monroe County, livid thare till it became necessary for him to move up and care for his father and mother. He cared for them while they lived. Then he heired the home place and lived on it till his deth. That is the place where his grand son now lives, John P. Badgley. Think that the place was settled in 1804 or 5. He served as justice of the peace four years, was fond of vocal music, and taught singing school some. Was a member of the Baptist Church. Raised a family of 9 children, 2 boys and 7 girls His oldest son, Ephram married Malinda Little. They raised a family of 7, four boys and three girls. His son David married a Jones. They moved to Texas, their number not known. 3 girls and 2 boys died in Ark.

The eldest daughter Mahala married John Haskens. He died then she married Clampet, they had one son and one daughter.

Hanah married Obed Harrison, they had no children.

Rhoda married John Tate, they had three boys and two girls.

Pega married Joseph Whitesides, they had four boys and three girls.

Polly married Ichabod Jones. They had one daughter. Jones died then she married Anthony Akeman. She died near Gelaspie, Ills.

Rosetta married Paten Pritchet, they moved to Oregon number of children not known.

Lizabeth married a man by the name of Franklin.

Grandchildren of Ichabod as near as we have is 12 boys and 9girls, making a total of 21.

Written 1890.

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ABRUM, fifth son of Rev. David Badgley was born in Hardy Co. Virginia, in 1793. Died in St. Clair Co., Illnois, in 1857. He came to this country with his father in 1797. He was a pleasant man to get along with and furm in his opinion. When he undertook anything he gave it a fare trial before he gave it up. Never seemed to be in a wory or push about his work and was a good farmer. He like most of the early settlers, served as ranger to guard the fronteers and keep the Red Man at bay. He would sometimes pull teeth to releave the suffer of their pain but never charged for the work. He served one term as Justice of the Piece. He was sessor of the County once, also County Commissioner twice. He built an Ox mill but sold that and retired from business. He settled the place where his grandson now lives, J. A. Badgley. He ust to ride a horse that he called Tone, and he was a great saddle horse. He never stoped for a fence when he was out on a chase with the hounds but would

kick the top rail off and tell old ton to go over. He was a member of the Baptist Church not only a member but a Christian. He was married three times, his first wife was by the name of Racel Bonham. They had 7 children, then he married Arpy Johnson then he married the widow Henly. He had one girl by second wife.

ABRUMS FAMILY

Martin married Percila Smyrls, they had 6 boys and 5 girls. He died Feb. 19, 1888 in Bates Co. Mo.

Rufina married Wm. Helum they had 3 boys and 1 girl. She died in High Prairie.

Rhoda married Samuel Ogle, they had 4 boys and 3 girls. She died out in Kansas.

Martha married James Ogle they had 2 boys and 1 girl. She died in Adams Co. Illinois.

Hanah married Wm. Benson, they had one child. She died in this county.

Suffie married Johnson. They had 2 boys and 1 girl. She died in this county.

Polley married 3 times, first Wm. Stanley, then Atcheson, then Noa Tate. She had 4 girls.

Nancy Jane married Talbert Smyrls. They have 5 boys and 4 girls. They live in Pegaupin Co., Illinois.

I find 22 males and 20 females making 42 grand children of Abrum Badgleys.

Written 1890.

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MARY, oldest daughter of Rev. David Badgley, born in Hardy Co. Virginia, came to this country with her parents. She married Jermira Hand and they settled on a piece of land that hur father gave them. The where Marion Badgley now lives. they sold that place and moved to Gree Co. Ills, boath died near Greefield. They owned a good farm at their deth. Seemed to live but honest and upright. Seemed to be rather a bad manager. 2 of their girls went to Texas and one went to Cal. and what has become of the family God only knows. They have all disepeared from this part of the country.

Names of hur children.

Soleman, Stephen, Rhoda, Rachel, Sarah, Parsila, Rebeca, Terminda, and Mills. This makes 9 grandchildren for David.

1890

Betsy, second daughter of Rev. David Badgley came to this country with hur parents from Virginia in 1797, married 3 times. First time married a man by the name of Starr, they had one son. He died. Then she married Joel Smith, had one daughter by him. Hur 2 sons lived and died in Montgomery Co., Ills. near Hillsburough. One of hur grandsons is county Surveyor of Montgomery Co. and lives at Litchfield.

This 1890

RACHEL, third daugh er of Rev. David Badgley. She came to this country with her parents. She married Daniel Starr. They raised a family of 6, three boys and 3 girls. They on a place in Monroe Countynear Bond's Lake. He was a farmer but they only lived to be about 60 years old Their oldest son Daniel married and moved to Texas and died there. His widow is still living. She stays with her son Barton.

Names of Rachel's children: Jermira married Crosia Tuning, Henry married Betsy Harlow, Daniel married Angeline Levecy, Polly married Phillippe Penn, Catherine married 3 times, last one by the name of Malone. Rhoda married 3 times last one by the name of Henry Rhiley.

This 1890.

PARSILA, Fourth daughter of Rev. David Badgley came to this country with hur parents in 1797. She married Solman Teter. They had no children. They lived on a piece of land where Unity Church now is. She was unhelthy and died at about the age of 35 years.

Next I will try and give the number of David's grandchildren.

Jobe had	7	boys and	2	girls
Abrum"	1		7	
Ichobd	2		7	
Aaron	5		3	
David	2		2	
Rachel	3		2	
Elizabeth	2		1	
Mary	2		7	
	24		31	

making a total of 55 and now the descendants are scattered nearly all over the United States.

1890

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STROUD FAMILY

My grand parents on mother's side , the old folks name was Adam and Eva. They came from Virginia. They raised a family of 8, Adam Samuel, Peter, Catherine, my mother, Rebcca, Susan, Polley and Betsy. They owned a tracked of land in the bottom in Monroe Co. north of Fountain Creek. The old people died there then the children left there and went to Arkansas and never sold the land. I believe that two of the heirs sold their undivided intrust. The place has been sold for taxes time and agane. His son Adam kept a Post Office some where in Ark. for a long time. Susan and Samul came back. She married a man by the name of Goacher, they two and Sam died in Jersey Co. Illinois. She never had any children.

This 1890

ISAC, oldest son of

Aaron Badgley, born in Monroe Co. Ills in 1800. Died in Washington Co. He married Unity Taylor. They raised a family of 10, 5 boys and 5 girls. Abijah, Joseph, Louis, Billington, Rufus Hetha, Catherine, Maryann, Samantha and Amy. He was never satisfied in one place, but mooved from place to place always on the moove. 5 of the children was dull. 2 went blind and 2 to the asylum. When he died he owned a place in Washington Co. and 20 acres here. Here He seemed to live hard and poor but honest. 2 of his boys was engeneers. His wife was a good woman and a worker.

written 1890.

ELIJAH, second son of Aaron Badgley, born in St. Clair Co. Illinois, June 15th, 1802. Now the oldest Badgley on record, being 86 years old.

He married Sarah Simpson. They had 3 boys and 3 girls. She died then he married Emly Estes, they had 3 boys and 2 girls. She died in 1869. He has had a great deel of sickness in his family. He was almost blind for 2 years finaly one of his eyes bursted. Since then he has had better helth. He made brick to build his house in 1829. The house stood till 1887, then burnt down. He then built a frame and is now living at home once more. He has studdied a great deel on perpetual motion but one side was always too heavy or the other too little. He was always fond of debating school and was a good Debator.

Names of his children, Gorge W., Alpheus, Atlas, Shadrick B., John, Edgar, Rhoda, Susan, Harriet/2, Eliza, Hannah.

Geo. 3, Alp. 5, Rhoda 2, Harriet 2, Susan 1, Atlas 3, Butler 1, Eliza 2, John1, Edgar1, grandchildren total 21.

(Elijah Badgley born June15, 1802, died Dec. 12, 1896)

ADAM, third son of Aaron Bodgley, born in St. Clair County, Illinois, Jan. 31st, 1813, died Jan. 17th, 1899. Married Eva Zanes Aug. 17th, 1834 on Sunday. Born in Monroe Co. Ill. March 29th, 1809, died Dec. 16th 1893. Had 2 children, Rebcca and Austin,. Rebcca married Wm. Boggy. She died Sept. 4, 1864. Austin born Nov. 24th, 1845, married Jennie Henderson, July 1st, 1872. Went to keeping house where Gus Jeffrey now lives in a log cabin, no floor. My household goods were few and homade, no stove but cooked by the fireplace, eat corn dodgers, squirrels and sometimes venison. When a boy at home Father had an ox team and an old stiff horse that we worked in the lead in plowing. I would drive the team and punch the weeds out from under the beam to clean the old barshair plow. Father took me along with him to haul goods to Springfield. I think about 1825. He had a splendid 5 horse team, he made three trips that winter and it was very cold. We had no bridges after we left Edwardsville. The goods was for Gov. Edwards and they were the first goods ever sold in Springfield. They were hauled from Belleville. My house was burned in March 1841. Left me with but one suit and in debt, that kept me down for 12 years. Uncle Ichabod and Ephram and I bought the first reaper that was run in the settlement. Ealen Messenger and Whit Scott had one up about O'Fallon. I had never saw one run before, the truble with the machine was that the ground wasent prepared as it is now. Apple and peach trees scattred around over the fiels then there was lots of sassafrass and persimum sprouts and when we came to them, would have to stop and cut them out of the wheat. After the second year we had all and more than we could cut. I invented the first 4 horse scraper that was used in the County.

This was written 1890.

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ANTHONY STROTHER fourth son of Aaron Badgley was born in St. Clair Co., Illinois, 1815. He married Percila Tate. They had 7 boys Aaron, Wilson Albert, Morgan, Alonzo, Asberry and Eddie, 4 girls, Elma, Milleyann, Elizabeth and Melissa. She died in Feb. 1869. She was a good quiet peaceable woman. She came from Pennsylvania. They lived where Gus Jeffrey now lives. After she died he married Emly Moore. Her maden name was Simpson. He left that place the spring of 1876 and mooved to Butler, Bates Co. Mo. He has done well there, is deeling in stock. Here I must tell of a traid that him and Brother David made when we were boys at home, him and David had to gather the goos eggs, had two little calves that they claimed. So David traided Strother his calf for his clame on the goose nest. So Strother is still deeling in calves and doing well.

1890.

DAVID, fifth son of Aaron Badgley was born in St. Clair Co.Ill., 1817 and died in Jasper Co. Illinois in 1878. He married Amy Abbot She was from Indiana. They had 3 boys. John, William and Frank. 5 girls Flura, Martha, Nancy, Lizzie and Melissa. They mooved to Randolph Co. Ills., finally he and his wife seperated. He went to Jasper Co. Ills. and died. He left the place in Randolph for his widow and children. The widow and two youngest daughters is living in St. Louis. He always seemed to take hold of business in the middle and work backwards. He raised a respectable family.

1890

JEDIDAH, oldest daughter of Aaron Badgley, was born in St. Clair Co. Illinois in 1804. She married John Koen. He was from Tenn. They had 5 boys, Abrum, Isac, Elijah, Jacob, Strather and William, 4 girls Rebeca, Martha, Rettie and Malissa. They done a good deal of mooving around. She died in 1845, then he married a French women. Jediah's children all dead but 2. Abrum and William Koen served one summer in Blackhawk war. He studied a great deal on Spiritualism. I have often laughed at a little mishap that happened to Koen. He was helping me to plow corn. He had an old horse that he called Peter. As we was coming in to dinner old Peter began to stumble and John sliped down on Peter's neck. The old horse kept trying to get up but John being heavy, the old horse kept stumbling. The horse came down and John rolled off. Well bommable the old cuss I have a good notion to nock him in the head.

1890.

Rebeca second daughter of Aaron Badgley was born in St. Clair Co. Illinois in 1806, died in 1858. She married William Tate. They had 2 boys, Aaron and William. 6 girls, Louise, Hanah, Emily, Lettie, Edline and Malinda. Tate was a hard worker, worker, worked like a slave. He was a great reader, would often sit up till 12o'clock and read, but he fell back $700. in 1850. He went to Cal. was six months going with an ox team, was sick while there, had to leave there or die, came home worse off than he went. Sold his place settled up his bebts and mooved to Randolph Co. Ills. Rebeca came up to Strothers and died, he lived there a number years, sold his place and mooved to Vernon Co. and died in 1873.

He came here from Fayette Co. Pennsylvania. He was fond of hunting and killed a great many deer. He served two summers in the Blackhawk war. He was too good to others for his own good. If a poor devil came along he would lone money with no note or security. They would seldom return the money or favor.

1890.

ELIJAH BADGLEY'S LAST COMPOSITION

History pertaining to the Badgley family. Belleville, Ills. May 27, 1892.

The Badgley ancestors are traced back to the State, of New Jersey. David Badgley having been born in that State, but at_____ ____from that State he moved to Hardy County, Virginia in the year 1774, or 1775. He was pursuaded to come West and see if he could find better farming land than there was in the Alleghanys. Therefore in the year 1797 he came and looked at this country and also went to Missouri which was then owned by Spain. He being a Baptist preacher, he wanted to be let preach, but the inhibitance refused to let him. So he came back to an island in the Mississippi River and preached his sermon, then returned to Ills. and from there back to Virginia and reported what he had seen of the West, in the following year 1797, he with his family together with about one hundred other families started for this country, leaving Brownsville, Pa. in flat boats, came down the Allegany River to Pittsburg, from there down the Ohio River to Shawneetown from this point they drove across the country to Kaskaskia arriving at this place on the fourth day of July, 1797, then the metropolis if the West. David Badgley was a Baptist Church in Ills. at New Design, now in Monroe County. David Badgley's oldest son Aaron and wife and one child started on horse back with the company, and on the way another child was born to them. After reaching at Kaskaskia his wife and both children died, consequently he was left a homeless wander, untii in the year 1800 at which time he married Catherine Strand and the first year settled in Horse Prairie, East of Waterloo.

In 1804 he mooved to the homestead three miles north of Belleville where he lived the remainder of his days untill he was too feeble and was mooved to his son's Adam Badgley, where he died on the_____

At the time he mooved to the last named place the country was a wilderness and inhibited by Indians, wolves. The Indians were the tribes of Kicapoos and Potanamies. Tall straight, portly men, In the year 1808 we had a treaty with them allowing them to until 1809 at which time they the country. The products of the country was corn, oats, wheat, potatoes, hogs and sheep were raised with great care, as the country was infested with wolves and other animals which made the hog, sheep and poltry industry very uncertain. The market was as near nothing as one could imagine. Wheat at times was worth $1.00 per bu., butter was at times worth $1.00 per lb. potatoes were from 35 ct. down to nothing. Corn was the same way. There were little or no money in the country. The legal tender being chips and whetstones, as it was called and a very good term for it.

Braces of harness was made from ropes. The hames were big awkward clumsey pieces of wood shaved out to fit, a color of corn shucks. The farmer had to be a shoemaker, miller, blacksmith, carpenter, harness maker, in fact any other machanic that it was necessary for him to be.

Our tools were also as scarce as many other things, for all the iron that was used was carried over the Cumberland Mountains.

A REPLY BY ELIJAH TO JAMES AFFLICK.

An older citizen that James Afflick. In a communication from Mr. James Aflick, he says he has been a resident of St. Clair County more than 61 years, the longest of any one living or dead. I wish to say he is mistaken. I have been a resident for over 81 years. He says he has outlived all the buildings in Belleville, but 2. I have outlived them all. I was here before any of those houses were built or any that are now standing. I have resided here ever since 1804. 3 miles North of the present public square. I was born in the countyin 1802. I have lived to see Belleville growfrom a little village surrounded by thorns to one of the most beautiful cities of Illinois. There has been as great a change in the surrounding country as there has been in Belleville. When a boy Mr. Lyman of Lyman Prairie four miles Southwest of Belleville was our nearest neighbor. Schools were few and far between. I and Gov. Kinney graduated at a seminary at the junction of the Collinsville and Westfield roads, of one room, built of logs, roofed with clapboards, puncheon floor, split logs with pins in them for s seats, a clapboard door. Wooden chimney and no windows. They may seem strange to those who attend the comfortable schools of today. It was as good as was to be had in the country in those days. We were taught reading, writing, and arithmetic. We also had music and drawing. Music in the morning and evenings by the Prairie wolves and hooting owls. We had instructions in drawing from about twelve to one o'clock drawing wood from the forest for our next days fire. Mr. Kinney was then married but attended school to refresh himself in arithmetic and reading. He has since been Lieutenant Governor and served with great credit. Mr. Afflick says he is sound of wind. I am reasonably hale for a man of my age age and feel very thankful that it is so.

I made a hundred and fifty rails Mar. 15th, 1888 (by the help of two boys, but la, what does two boys' work amount to.

Respectfully,
Elijah Badgley.

1890.

EVA ZANES BADGLEY died Dec. 16, 1893, at her home North of Belleville. Was buried in the Aaron Badgley graveyard. Her maden name was Eva Zanes. Her father Mordica Zanes & his brother (we think James) came from Zanesville, Ohio to Ill. Territory in about 1808. Mordica married Rebecca Stroud. He died in a few months. The brother had returned to Zanesville. Mordica's wife shortly after his death had twin babys, 2 girls, one was named Margret after Mordica's mother. The other Eva after Rebecca's mother. Margret died soon. They were born 1809.. They lived and he and the child both died in the American Botom at Moredock Lake. The widow and the orphan lived there about uhtil 1814. She married George Estes. Rebecca was left a widow again now with 5 children. However they kept the family together untill about 1830. The mother died, then the family necessarily were separated. Eva going to Aaron Badgleys'. The Estes children to their Uncle's Ichabod Volentine. Eva married Adam Badgley Aug. 17, 1834. They settled in the immediate neighborhood and in 1841 they moved to the old home place where she died Dec. 16, 1893. They raised 2 children. Rebecca & Austin. Rebecca died. Austin and his father live on the home place.

State of Illinois)
(
County of St. Clair)

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a "Record of the Badgley Family" written by Adam Badgley, late of St. Clair County, Illinois. That the original manuscript is now in possession of one of his descendants, Mrs. Nellie Badgley Ittner, R. R. 4, Belleville, Illinois.

I further certify that I copied the original manuscript and the foregoing is a correct copy therefrom.

Virginia Merrills
Belleville, Illinois

Copy of Obituary of George Allen Mason
from Chicago Daily Tribune, Saturday, November 14, 1953

GEORGE A. MASON

George Allen Mason, 83, former assistant corporation counsel and a practicing attorney in Chicago for nearly 60 years, died yesterday in a convalescent home. He retired from active practice two years ago. A graduate of Northwestern university law school in 1894, he began practicing law here that year. He was assistant corporation counsel from 1907 to 1911. He was city attorney of Highland Park from 1909 to 1911 and city attorney of Lake Forest from 1911 to 1912. Mr. Mason formerly was a trustee of Northwestern university. At his death he was a trustee of Seabury Western Theological seminary, Evanston, and Kemper Hall, Kenosha. Surviving are his son, George Jr. and three grand-daughters. Services will be at 2 p.m. today in Trinity Episcopal Church, Highland Park.

Lineage of George Allen Mason

George Allen Mason was a lineal descendant of Benjamin Minor (Miner), Page 84, 107, Miner Genealogy on file At Connecticut State Library. Son of Elias and Esther (Noyes) Miner, born August 16th, 1780 in Lyme, Connecticut. Married June 29th, 1804 Rebecca Hollister at Glastonbury, Connecticut. Elias Minor is listed in Rev. Archives 11C25c, published in Record of Connecticut, Menin Rec. Page 72. Also recorded Hollister family, Page 87.

Grand-daughters: Phoebe Anne, born Chicago, Ill. St. Lukes Hospital, Nov. 25, 1928.
Cynthia, same place, Sept.23, 1930
Elisabeth Norcross, same place, Aug. 1st, 1933
born to son, George Jr. and his wife, Louise Townsend Barnard, married Dec. 28th. New Rochelle, New York, 1927.

Sent in by Frances F. Kelley,
Niece of George A. Mason
Daughter of Maude (Mason)
Fenton

OBITUARY

THE BROOKLYN DAILY EAGLE NEW YORK.
FRIDAY AUGUST 25, 1911

MRS. MARY CLOSE SCOTT

. Mrs Mary Close Scott of 205 Sterling Place, whose remains will be taken to Amsterdam, N. Y., for interment in her family plot by her brother, S. B. Close, on Saturday was the widow of David M. Scott. She died at her residence in Brooklyn, August 24, aged 85 years, 9 months, and 7 days, after a brief illness. She retained her remarkable vigor up to about three years ago. Descended from Thomas Close of Greenwich, Conn who came from England about 1645, Mrs. Scott 's grandfather, Abel Close, was one of the early settlers of the town of Charlestown, Montgomery County, N.Y. Abel Close went from Dutchess County, N. Y., shortly after the Revolution and settled in Minaville, N. Y., where he married Mary McConkey, daughter of William McConkey who was the proprietor of "McConkey's Ferry", on the Delaware River, famous in history as "Washington's Crossing" at the time when Washington on Christmas night, 1776, ferried his army across the ice-filled river and his army marched nine miles to Trenton where he won the battle with the Hessian troops which marked the turning point in the tide of American affairs. The McConkey house, which still stands substantially as it was in those days, was General Washington's headquarters for a few hours, and Mrs. McConkey entained General Washington. On that occasion the family tradition is that General Washington after greeting

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Dear Mrs. Scott,

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I have a note from Dad giving me your new address and requesting that I send you the following data: (our family names)

Harold Riley Colvin
Margaret Ayer Colvin
Elizabeth Ayer Colvin
Harold Riley Colvin Jr.

It is good to hear that you are getting on well - keep it up.
Best from all of us and love

Margaret

COLVIN

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Mrs. McConkey, who met him at the door, stooped and kissed little four year old Mary McConkey. William Close of Charlestown and Glen, eldest son of Abel Close, married Frances Blood, daughter of Robert and Mary (Simons) Blood. Their children were David(father of Dr. Stuart Close of Brooklyn), Thompson M., Mary, Stwart B., and Elizabeth Close. Of these Stewart B. Close of Brooklyn is now the only survivor. Mary Close was married September 26, 1849 to David M. Scott, well known and highly respected in Montgomery County and in Amsterdam N. Y., where he occupied several official positions, including that of postmaster of Charleston. In 1872 he came to New York City to take a position with the dry goods firm of A.T. Stewart & Co. where his brother - in -law, S. B. Close had already established himself. Of Mr. and Mrs. Scott's family there survive a daughter - in - law, the widow of her son, Winfield Scott, five grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

Clipping in possession of
Mrs. John D. De Peo
1440 East 52nd St.
Chicago, Illinois

Kaskaskia Chapter, D.A.R.

This article was copied from the Charleston Newspaper of 1939 which is in a scrap-book belonging to my grandmother, Mrs. W. M. Rhett. My grandfather, William M. Rhett, was born near Charleston, South Carolina, and Landgrave Thomas Smith, is a direct descendant of William M. Rhett.

LANDGRAVE SMITH'S THOMSTONE MUTE EVIDENCE OF SOLE AMERICAN NOBILITY

Once in the Charleston area there flourished a nobility, the only one ever established in America, which dies as the result of hard colonial living conditions and the pressure of public opinion, but which left its mark in the gracious old homes of its haughty members.

Among these noblemen, some of whom were given the title of landgrave by an optimistic group which hoped to establish a landed and hereditary peerage in America, was one who appears to have had a clearer idea of the impossibility of the plan. He was Landgrave Thomas Smith, forbear of many of Charleston's aristocratic families whose grave at Medway plantation on Back river is shown in the above photograph. This grave dated 1694, the year the landgrave died is among the oldest in the state.

Its inscription remains remarkably clear and legible, and it is but little marred, save for the great crack left by the earthquake of 1886.

Landgrave Smith was a native Englishman, said to have been born at Exeter in 1648. He came to America in 1684, accompanied by his wife, Barbara, two sons Thomas Jr. and George, two maids and five men servants. In a patent dated 1691 he was created a landgrave with four baronies of 48,000 acres. The title of landgrave carried with it acreage in this amount. The supporters of King Charles II who were honored with the title had the privilege of choosing their grants from a general tract which included about one third of the present United States under the monarch's vague idea of geography.

Governor of Carolina

Smith, who was held high in esteem of the colonists is said to have been the first person to plant rice in America, although the statement has n been changled. Persons doubtful of the value of the autocratic system under which the colony was governed evidently looked to him and his judgment for relief and he was appointed governor and commander-in-chief of Carolina November 29, 1693.

The one great reform ever made in the system was put into effect by Smith, who introduced the plan of selecting jorors from a list of names piled indiscriminately into a box.

Landgrave Smith's first wife who came to the wild colonies with him was Barbara Atkins, who died in 1687. A few months later he married Sabina de Vigron, widow of the Belgian nobleman. D'Arsens, who preceded the Smith family to Carolina. He had several children by Barbara and by Sabina, ancestors of a vast tribe of latter day Charlestonians.

One of the maddest and most vivid paragraphs in the history of America was written between the Ashley and Cooper rivers during the "landgrave " era, 1670-1719.

Charles II, restored to his throne in 1660, turned to reward a group of loyal, and mainly impoverished supporters. Following his wanderings through Europe during the Cromwellian era which succeeded the execution of his father

Charles I., he had little left to bestow in gratitude save lands in the New World. Of these had an abundance, more in fact than he realized, and they were welcomed by his royalist friends, whose fortunes were none too flourishing.

To Anthony Ashley Cooper fell a large sect on, stretching in the terms of the grant to the "South Sea." which naively signified the Pacific. Cooper thereupon told his brilliant but impractical young secretary, John Lock to map out a system of government. Lock put his brains to work and evolved an elaborate plan, combining the essence of Plato's Republic with the early hierachic system of Germany.

He called it the "Grand" Model," and eight noblemen signed it forthwith. These were known as Lords proprietors and they met at the Cockpit in London in 1669 to creat a Palatinate and to found a new aristocracy.

Their code provided for landgraves, classiques and Leet men with graduated estates. The titles and lands were to descend to heirs.

A bewildering system of courts was included and these were designed to govern manners, sports games and the fashion of wearing jewels, all of which must be regarded as court matters. All of this panoply was to be transferred to American soil, where it would presumably flourish amid the depradation of indians, the ill will of "Roundheads" seeking religious freedom and liberation from the distressing spectable of dissolute king and the general hardships of colony life.

Strangely enough, peace was kept after a fashion for a time. On the banks of the Kiawah and Wando rivers, soon retitled Ashley and Cooper, handsome homes began to arise. Brisks were imported from England and Holland, tapestries from France and Statuary from Italy.

Sir John Yeamans had been appointed governor of the colony.

The nobles wore their pearls and did not permit the commoner to do so, even when they could affort it. They indulged in the correct sports and ate only of the finest foods. In effect they were autocratic to the nth degree, with autocracy of those who, feeling it their right have been deprived of the means of expressing it.

At length, the system began to crumble at the edges. By 1714, the common people were overly numerous and outspoken. They began to express a desire for the relative liberties whivh government by the English kind would have constituted rather than the erratic rule of the American nobility. The colony was moreover heavily in debt, and the Spaniards were inciting the Indians to outbreaks. Pirates thronged the coast and ventured boldly into the rivers and creeks.

In 1719, occurred, what has been called the "bloodless revolution."

This meant, in fact, that everyone was doing as he pleased. The nobles had lost their power of administering any form of government and there was none to replace it. The proud colony was in deplorable shape.

The end came with the purchase outright by George I of the lords' lands for the sum of 50,000 pounds. Titles were discarded and anyone who could afford to indulge expensive taste could do so without breaking a court rule.

James Moore was then elected the first royal governor ending the say of the nobles once and for all.

Some of their houses stand, and among them is that of Landgrave Smith, who died when the glory was still at its height. Medway plantation today is the property of Sidney J. Legendre of New York and the former governor's grave remains there in the ancient burying ground. The plantation for years was the property of the Stoney family of Charleston.

The house is believed to be perhaps the oldest brick residence in South Carolina. An early woodcut shows the details of the dwelling with the Dutch gables which may be a reflection of the taste of Sabina, widow of the Belgian noble.

Sabina is said to have been very beautiful and the story has it that her portrait was ripped from its frame many years later by an admiring British redcoat who carried it off.

LANDGRAVE SMITH'S TOMBSTONE

"Here lieth Y Body of The Right Hon Thomas Smith Esq. One of Y Landgrave of Carolina who departed this life Y 16 of Nov 1694 Governor of the Province of Carolina in Y 46 year of his age."

Contributed by Mrs. John J. Burnham

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FAMILY REGISTER

Family names	Born	Married	Died
Parents			
CHRISTOPHER PAGE	Sept.20,1670	Nov. 14.,1689	Feb. 4,1751
ABIGAIL TILTON	Oct. 28.1670	" " "	Oct.4, 1759
Children			
Robert Page	Sept. 8,1690		July 20,1706
Abigail Page	Feb. 1,1693	Wm. Moulton, Dec.23,1715	Jan. 22,1776
Mary Page	Dec. 13,1695	Sam'l Dow Sept. 12,1717	Mar. 10,1760
Lydia Page	Aug.3,1698	John Towle Nov.15, 1721	May 22, 1772
Jonathan Page	Dec.25, 1700	Mary Towle Jan.4,1724	- - 1770
David Page	May 1, 17031.	Ruth Dearborn Jan.27, 1728	Jan.9,1785
		2.Ruth Smith Apr.5,1742	Jan.9,1785
SHUBAEL PAGE	Feb.15,1707	Hannah Dow Jan.21,1731	May 16,1791
Jeremiah Page	May 20,1708	Elizabeth Drake Dec.17, 1730	Sept.18,1786
Jabitha Page	Aug.21,1711	Caleb Marston Oct. 5,1740	May 30, 1792

Bible

Jan.1, 1954- This family register is in the possession of Miss Laura M. Tindall, 325 Augusta Avenue, DeKalb, Illinois

General John Stark Chapter
Sycamore, Illinois.

2 FAMILY REGISTER

FAMILY names	BORN	MARRIED	DIED
Parents			
SHUBAEL PAGE	Feb. 15,1707	Jan.21,1731	May 6, 1791
HANNAH DOW	Jan.10,1709	" " "	Nov. 13,1796
Children			
Abigail Page	Nov.27,1731	Joseph Hobbs Jan.31,1753	Dec 28,1790
Sarah Page	Apr.12,1734	Benjamin Philbrick Dec.15,1751	July 19, 1831
Reuben Page	May 24,1736	lost at sea	
Mary Page	Apr. 6,1738	Christopher Smith Jan.27, 1757	Mar.28 1778
Sam'l Page	Dec. 12,1741	Sarah Sherburne Feb.7,1771	Dec.6,1821
Child(still born)	Jan.18,1745		
Nathaniel Page	Jan.28, 1746	Betty Leavitt(?at	Sept. 1806
ABNER PAGE	Nov.15,1748	Abigail Moulton --- ?	Apr. 28,1832
Child (still born)	1750		
Child(still born	1752		
Josiah Page	Oct. 17,1753	unmarried	Nov. 14, 1754

3 FAMILY REGISTER

Family Name	Born	Married	Died
Parents:			
ABNER PAGE	Nov.15,1748	Nov.13,1785	Apr.28,1832
ABIGAIL MOULTON	June 6,1754	" " "	Jan.12,1830
Children:			
John Page	Aug.21,1786	Betty Tucke Mar.16,1817	Apr.26,1851
JOSIAH PAGE	Sept.24,1788	Susan Leavitt Dec.19,1826	
David Page	Oct. 17,1791	Harriet Norwood Feb.27,1816	
Abigail Page	Nov.11,1795	Thos. Leavitt Nov. 1815	

4 FAMILY REGISTER

FAMILY names	BORN	MARRIED	DIED
Parents			
JOSIAH PAGE	Sept. 24, 1788	Dec. 19, 1826	
SUSAN LEAVITT	Jan. 28, 1797	" " "	
Children			
Josiah Page	Feb. 4, 1828	Cordelia Bumpus May 16, 1850	
Susan L. Page	Aug. 19, 1829		
Mary Hannah Page	Dec. 1, 1832		
John Page	Jan. 22, 1835		

PARK RIDGE, ILLINOIS
(Formerly known as Brickton)

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(1)
First Methodist Church of Park Ridge

Baptisms 1860-1874	Marriages 1860-1877
Including Brickton	Brickton
Lane	Lane
DesPlaines	Flagg
Lyden	Rochelle
Brooks Bridge	Savanna
South Lane	White Rock
Niles	Niles
Flag Center	Lee Co.
Bethel	Alton
Rochelle	Malta
Barryville	
Park Ridge	

Compiled by Virginia E. Potter of Park Ridge Chapter, D.A.R.

(2)
Monroe Congregational Church- later called First Congregational Church of Brickton, then of Park Ridge.
Baptisms July 1843/June 1900
Deaths of early members 1849/1908.

Compiled from Clerk's Minutes of the Meetings by Mary M. Perkins of Park Ridge Chapter, D.A.R.

(3)
St. Mary's Mission, Park Ridge
Baptisms April 1895/July 14, 1901
Burials 1896/May 1902

Compiled by Mary Cummings of Park Ridge Chapter, D.A.R.

DES PLAINES, ILLINOIS

First Congregational Church
List of baptized children Dec. 19, 1869/Sept. 3, 1899

Supplied by Rev. William Earl Brehm from records in possession of First Congregational Church of Des Plaines.

BAPTISMAL RECORDS
from METHODIST CHURCH OF PARK RIDGE, ILLINOIS.
(At time of entries was First Methodist Episcopal Church)

	Name Birth Date	Residence	Minister
1860			
Aug. 12	VAN BRAMER, Hattie	Lane	W. T. Harlow
Aug. 12	DAVENPORT, Malinda	Lane	W. T. Harlow
Sept. 3	HOLTON, Anna H. April 17, 1859	Brickton	A. Brown
Sept. 3	DUSTIN, Able	DesPlaines	A. Brown
Sept. 3	WOOD, Josephine	Brickton	A. Brown
Sept. 3	JEFFERSON, Laura E.	DesPlaines	A. Brown
Sept. 3	STANLEY, Chas. H. April 13, 1860	Brickton	Jas. T. Hamm
Sept. 3	WAGONER, Sarah O. May 7, 1859	Brickton	Jas. T. Hamm
Sept. 3	WAGONER, Mary Jane May 29, 1855	Brickton	Jas. T. Hamm
Sept. 3	WAGONER, Jenett 1854	------	Jas. T. Hamm
Dec. 9	IRISH, Adeline A. Sept. 15, 1856	Lyden	E. D. Wheden
Dec. 9	IRISH, Wm. H. June 4, 1860	Lyden Center	E. D. Wheden
1861			
MAR. 31	BROOKS, Rosa Ella Feb. 20, 1865	Brooks Bridge	E. D. Wheden
Mar. 31	BROOKS, Alvin D. June 4, 1857	Brooks Bridge	E. D. Wheden
Mar. 31	BROOKS, Elmer Queden Dec. 30, 1860	Brooks Bridge	E. D. Wheden
Apr. 7	LEMLEY, John	-------	C. Brookins
June 16	BREWER, Charles	South Lane	C. Brookins
June 16	VAN PETTEN, Herman	South Lane	C. Brookins
June 23	BUGLE, Marion	Lane	C. Brookins
June 23	REPLEN, Rebecca A.	Lane	C. Brookins
June 23	BREWER, Mrs. Mary Jane	Lane	C. Brookins
June 23	BUGLE, Frances	Lane	C. Brookins
June 16	BUGLE, Eliza	Lane	C. Brookins
July 23	Brown, Carolyn	Brickton	H. Crews

1861 Cont.

July 23	JEFFERSON, Alice S.	DesPlaines	H. Crews
July 23	WHITE, A. A.	Niles	H. Crews
Sept. 8	LYNCH, Cornelius July 17, 1818	BrooksBridge	Jas. T. Hamm
Sept. 8	PAINE, Frances	Brickton	Jas. T. Hamm
Sept. 8	BOWMAN, Maria	BrooksBridge	Jas. T. Hamm
Sept. 8	IRISH, Marth M.	BrooksBridge	Jas. T. Hamm
Sept. 28	GREEN, Marty	Lane	C. Brookins
Dec. 1	ABBOTT, Nora Jannett	BrooksBridge	Jas. T. Hamm
Dec. 1	SCOTT, James M.	------	Jas. T. Hamm
Dec. 1	SCOTT, Ira W.	------	E. M. Boring
Dec. 1	SCOTT, Emmert L.	------	E. M. Boring
Dec. 1	SCOTT, Esther A.	------	E. M. Boring
Dec. 1	BROOKS, Lucinda	------	E. M. Boring

1863

July	TRIPP, Wm. M.	Flag Center	T. Cochrane
July	TRIPP, Sister	Flag Cente	T. Cochrane

1864

Feb. 20	KNIGHT, Willie	Lane	A. W. Paige
Feb. 20	KNIGHT, Emma	Lane	A. W. Paige
Feb. 20	KNIGHT, Mary	Lane	A. W. Paige
Feb. 20	DEVOLT, Elizabeth	Bethel	A. W. Paige
Feb. 20	VAN HAUTEN, Mary L.	Bethel	A. W. Paige
May 15	LOCKWOOD, Cordelia	Brickton	Elder S. P. Keyes
May 15	WHITCOMB, Franklin	Brickton	Elder S. P. Keyes
Aug. 7	BULIS, Alice	Lane	A. W. Paige
Aug. 7	WINKLER, Hattie	Lane	A. W. Paige
Aug. 7	WINKLER, Nettie	Lane	A. W. Paige
Aug. 7	LOCKWOOD, Lela Eliza	Brickton	Elder S.P. Keyes
Aug. 7	LOCKWOOD, Cora Louisa	Brickton	Elder S.P. Keyes
Aug. 7	MEACHAM, Mary Elizabeth	Brickton	Elder S. P. Keyes
Aug. 7	MEACHAM, Henry Goodrich	Brickton	Elder S. P. Keyes
Aug. 7	AXTELL, Laura Melia	Brickton	Elder S. P. Keyes

1865

Jan. 20	ROSE, Sophia	Bethel	L. L. Walker
Feb. 18	CONLIN, Elizabeth A.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
Feb. 18	CONLIN, John H.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
Feb. 18	CONKLIN, Charles S.	Bethel	L. L. Walker

1866

March 16	MINKLER, Charlotte M. Nov. 27, 1863	Rochelle	L. L. Walker
May 27	COLE, Frederick	Rochelle	L. L. Walker
May 27	LAIR, Edward	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	SCHERMERHORN, Robert	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	KING, Martha	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	BOOM, Charles	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	HATHAWAY, Warden	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	HAYS, Melissa	Bethel	L. L. Walker

1866 Cont.

May 27	STROCKY, Frederick	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	STROCKY, George	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	BOOM, William H.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	HATHAWAY, Israel	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	JONES, Wm.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	HAYS, Lucretia	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	HAYS, Mary E.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	HAYS, Mary A.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	HAYS, Elizabeth	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	HAYS, Morgan A.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	DALRYMPLE, Mary	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	HAYS, Margarett M.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	LAIR, Sarah	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	ONLEY, Oliver	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	HAYS, Sarah J.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	HAYS, Margarett D.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	LOUIS, Sarah	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	ONLEY, Sarah J.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	ONLEY, Oliver M.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	HUBBARD, Wm.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
May 27	BILLSBOROUGH, AbnerJ.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
June 24	HATHAWAY, Simeon	Bethel	L. L. Walker
June 24	BOOM, Caroline A.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
June 24	OAKS, Rebeca J.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
June 24	OAKS, Hiram S.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
June 24	JONES, Lorenzo W.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
Aug. 19	KING, Wm. H.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
Aug. 19	KING, Emeline	Bethel	L. L. Walker
Aug. 19	KENDALL, Levi	Bethel	L. L. Walker
Aug. 19	HAYS, Sarah J.	Bethel	L. L. Walker
Aug. 19	DEVOLT, Charity	Bethel	L. L. Walker
Nov. 28	GARDNER, Isabella Chapman April 19, 1861	Near Brickton	Chas. Perkins
Nov. 28	GARDNER, Abraham Lincoln Sept. 1, 1865	Near Brickton	Chas. Perkins

1867

May 26	LOCKWOOD, George Chamberlin	Brickton	Chas. Perkins

1868

May 30	DANIELS, Eliza Ann	Barryville (Near Brickton)	Chas. Perkins
May 30	THIRSK, John Thomas	Barryville (Near Brickton)	Chas. Perkins
May 30	THIRSK, Mary E.	Barryville (Near Brickton)	Chas. Perkins

1869

June 9	SCHEFFER, Anna	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout
June 18	RIPMAN, George	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout
Aug. 23	MYERS, Anna May	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout
Mar. 13	NICHOLS, Ella	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout
Mar. 13	FRENHELM, Hannah J.	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout
Mar. 13	HATCHING, Emma F.	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout

1869 Cont.

Mar. 13	SPOONER, Cora A.	Rochelle	Wm.H.Strout
Apr. 3	DAVIDSON, David 1830	DesPlaines	Alex Yonker
Apr. 3	DAVIDSON, Samuel April 1855	DesPlaines	Alex Yonker
Apr. 3	DAVIDSON, Libbie April 1857	DesPlaines	Alex Yonker
Apr. 10	LAWSON, Martin April 2, 1867	Rochelle	Wm.H.Strout
Apr. 3	JONES, William 1846	1/2m. south of Brickton	Alex Yonker
Apr. 3	JONES, Nellie 1848	1/2m. south of Brickton	Alex Yonker
Apr. 3	ROBINSON, Horatio 1847	Brickton	Alex Yonker
Apr. 3	CUMMINGS, Samuel 1840	Brickton	Alex Yonker
Apr. 3	WHITCOMB, Lydia 1850	Brickton	Alex Yonker
June 26	ROWLY, Sarah	Flagg	Wm.H.Strout
June 26	ELLINWOOD, Charles O.	Rochelle	Wm.H.Strout
June 26	CHITTENDEN, Geo. A.	Rochelle	Wm.H. Strout
June 26	PARKHURST, Ida A.	Rochelle	Wm.H.Strout
June 26	ELMORE, Addie E.	Rochelle	Wm.H.Strout
June 26	MINKLER, Eva T.	Rochelle	Wm.H.Strout
June 26	STILES, Ella	Rochelle	Wm.H.Strout
June 26	REYNOLDS, Jennie	Rochelle	Wm.H.Strout
1870			
Sept. 4	FLANDERS, W.	South of Brickton	Alex Yonker
Sept. 4	FLANDERS, Nellie 1855	South of Brickton	Alex Yonker
1871			
Mar. 12	SCHEPPERD, Mary Ella Mar. 1871	Rochelle	Wm.H.Strout
June 18	MINKLER, Ella Eliza	Rochelle and vicinity	Wm.H.Strout
June 18	LANG, Mary Belle	" " "	Wm.H.Strout
June 18	HOADLEY, G. Frank	" " "	Wm.H.Strout
June 18	KING, Geo. Walter	" " "	Wm.H.Strout
June 18	KING, Ida Ann	" " "	Wm.H.Strout
June 18	MARINER, Sarah Johnson	" " "	Wm.H. Strout
June 18	BUNDY, Ellen	" " "	Wm.H.Strout
June 18	ROFS, Carrie Adeline	" " "	Wm.H.Strout
June 18	WALTERS, Alma Adeline	" " "	Wm.H.Strout
June 18	MOORE, Gertrude	" " "	Wm.H.Strout
July 30	REYNOLDS, Simeon	" " "	Wm.H.Strout
July 30	LONG, David Elmore	" " "	Wm.H.Strout
July 30	GATES, Henriette	" " "	Wm.H.Strout
July 30	OGDEN, John	" " "	Wm.H.Strout
July 30	REYNOLDS, Mary Jane	" " "	Wm.H.Strout
April 16	FRATLIK, Freitrick Feb. 8, 1871	Rochelle	J. O. Cramb

1871 Cont.

Sept. 3	IRWIN, Willie Apr. 20, 1868	DesPlaines	A. J. Swarts
Sept. 3	IRWIN, Ella L. Oct. 19, 1870	DesPlaines	A. J. Swarts
Sept. 3	JEFFERSON, Walter	DesPlaines	A. J. Swarts
Sept. 3	JEFFERSON, ----	DesPlaines	A. J. Swarts
Sept. 3	JEFFERSON, ----	DesPlaines	A. J. Swarts
Sept. 3	IRWIN, Martha J.	DesPlaines	A. J. Swarts
Sept. 3	HOTCHKISS, Mary A.	DesPlaines	A. J. Swarts
Sept. 3	FARR, James	DesPlaines	A. J. Swarts

1872

June 30	MEACHAM, Lucy Rebecca	Park Ridge	W.F. Stewart
June 30	MEACHAM, Bertha Augusta	Park Ridge	W.F. Stewart
June 30	MEACHAM, Robert Watson	Park Ridge	W.F. Stewart

1873

Aug. 19	HUNTER, Edward	Niles	J.T. Cooper
Aug. 19 (1873)	MOSS, Emma Blanch Oct. 29, 1872	Park Ridge	A. Traveller

1872 Cont.

Sept. 8	QUICK, Sarah	Rochelle	J. O. Cramb
Sept. 8	ELLENWOOD, Mary Louise	Rochelle	J. O. Cramb
Sept. 8	STEPHENS, Mary M.	Rochelle	J. O. Cramb
Sept. 8	MINKLER, Libbie	Rochelle	J. O. Cramb

1874

June	PERRY, Walter David	Park Ridge	Dr. Jutkins

Record of Marriages of Members of First Methodist Church, Park Ridge, Ill. (Name of church now Methodist Church of Park Ridge, Ill.) Compiled from Church Records.

Name of Parties	Residence	Place	Minister
WALKER, George	DeKalb County	Lane	C. Brookins
Augusta F. Howe	DeKalb County		July 4, 1860
TAYLOR, James T.	Peoria	Lane	C. Brookins
Miss Ann D. Smith	Lane		Aug. 27, 1860
EATON, W. T.	Flag	Flagg	C. Brookins
Miss Catherine Walters	Flag		Oct. 14, 1860
FOSTER, Mr. ----	Lane	Lane	C. Brookins
Miss Hill	Lane		Nov. 22, 1860
HARD, Benjamin	Lane	Lane	C. Brookins
Miss Arminta S. Reed	Lane		Jan. 24, 1861
VAN BRAMER, John	Lane	Lane	C. Brookins
Miss Nancy Oyster	Pam's Point		July 21, 1861
CLAYTON, W. H.	WashingtonGrove	Bride's	C. Brookins
Miss Mary Ann Walters		Father's	Sept. 5, 1861
BENNETT, Frank	Lane	Bride's	M. H. Plumb
Mary E. Fulton	Lane	Father's	Nov. 6, 1861
TEGHOR, Josiah H.	Lane	Lane	M. H. Plumb
-----			Dec. 15, 1861
BLY, ----	Lane	Lane	M. H. Plumb
Miss Jeanne Miller			Jan. 2, 1862
WELLS, ----	Lane	Lane	M. H. Plumb
----Crismanz	Lane		Apr. 6, 1862
COGSWELL, Mr.	Rock River Conf.	----	T. Cochran
Francis Roe			Apr. 6, 1862
CROSS, Rev. Mr.	Malta		T. Cochran
Miss Smith			
ROSS, Mr. --->	Ohio	----	T. Cochran
Miss Minger			
----			T. Cochran
Miss Putnam			
JONES, Evan	Brickton	Brickton Church	George Drake
Frances Pain			Jan. 5, 1862

GRAHAM, Adam Y.	Union Ridge		Brickton Ch.	Geo. Drake Dec. 4, 1862

CARPENTER, Wm. G.	Lane		Lane	A.W. Paige
Gertrude Foster				Jan. 4, 1864
BLISS, Mr. A. H.			Lane	A. W. Paige
Miss Mary E. Mallory	Lane			July 12, 1864
CAMP, (Alice) Reed B.	Penn.		Lane	A. W. Paige
Miss Catherine L. Earl	Lane			Sept. 11, 1864
McSain, T. T.	Nevado, Iowa	(Lane)		A. W. Paige
Ellen R. Minkler	Rochelle	Minkler Home		Jan. 25, 1865
BROWN, James	Rochelle	Parsonage		L.L. Walker
Rachel Rousley	Willowbrook			June 11, 1865
SPALSBURY, D. L.	Willcreek		Rochelle	L.L. Walker
L. A. Eddy	State of Maine		Hotel	July 4, 1865
BARLOW, Charles M.	Ogle, Ill.	Parsonage		L.L. Walker
Sarah L. J. Torrey	Ogle, Ill			Oct. 24, 1865
BRIGGS, Alvin	Lee, Co.		Rochelle	L.L. Walker
Abigail Stoubard	State of Maine			April 7, 1865
CROUSE, Levi C.	Argo, Ill.		Savanna	Chas. Perkins
Anna C. Lambert	Carroll, Ill.			Sept. 3, 1866
KING, Richard M.			White Rock	George S. Young
Miss Lettie Dalrymple	White Rock			Oct. 18, 1866
HAMMINGER, David A.	Morrison		Brickton	Chas. Perkins
Elizabeth Lynch	Lyden			Nov. 1, 1866
MARTIN, John M.	Chicago		near Brickton	Chas. Perkins
Margarette A.Gardner	Des Plaines			Nov. 28, 1866
DANIELS, William	Jefferson		Brickton	Chas. Perkins
Eliza A. Robinson	Jefferson			April 3, 1867
HOYT, John B.	Chicago		Brickton	Chas. Perkins
Lucy E. Lenore	Chicago			Aug. 11, 1867
CHITTENDEN, William S.	Brickton		Brickton	Chas. Perkins
Sarah E. Chamberlin	Brickton			Aug. 20, 1867
ROBINSON, Horatio L.	Brickton		Brickton	Chas. Perkins
Jennie Harrison	Brickton			Aug. 20, 1867
RUSSELL, William J.	Northfield		Brickton	Chas. Perkins
Maryette Griswold	Toledo			Nov. 12, 1867

BERNER, John W.	Chicago, Ill.	near	Chas. Perkins
Georgiana Brown	Lyden, Ill.	Brickton	Dec. 25, 1867
STEBBINGS, Charles E.	Brickton	Brickton	Chas. Perkins
M. Jane Paine	Brickton		May 16, 1868
WARD, Bayard E.	Chicago	Niles	Chas. Perkins
Annie E. Church	Chicago		Sept. 2, 1868
MITTEN, W. Jeptha	Lee Co., Ill.	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout
Miss Martha Foster	Lee Co., Ill.		Dec. 23, 1868
PEIRCE, Royal A.	Lee Co., Ill.	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout
Adelaide J. McClure	Lee Co., Ill.		July 17, 1869
McCLURE, Roan	Lee Co., Ill.	Lee Co.	Wm. H. Strout
Amy Cary	"		March 23, 1869
HOTALING, Charles L.	Rochelle, Ill.		Wm. H. Strout
Rose C. Ambrose	"	Rochelle	July 19, 1869
CRAMER, Wm. H.	Sterling, Ill.	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout
Elizabeth Brenberger	Lancaster, Pa.		Sept. 2, 1869
SMITH, Harry B.	Ashton, Ill.	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout
Arminta Douglip	"	Rochelle	Nov. 25, 1869
HAMILTON, William	Chicago	Niles	Alex Yonker
Phebe Huntingdon	Niles		Jan. 2, 1870
THOMPSON, Henry C.	Rochelle	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout
Maggie Noble	"		Jan. 18, 1870
EMERSON, Thomas A.	Ogle, Ill.	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout
-------	------		March 2, 1870
BEEDERSTEDT, Fred	Norway, Europe		Wm.H. Strout
Christine Nilk	------	Rochelle	May 22, 1870
ALLEN, John	South Grove, Ill.		Wm. H. Strout
May Sharp	Lynville, Ill.	Rochelle	July 4, 1870
CLARK, Decius	Chicago	Brickton	Alex Yonker
Margaret Morehouse	Brickton		July 21, 1870
BRIGGS, Andrew J.	Alton, Lee Co.	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout
Ellen Oleson			Sept. 6, 1870
MORRIS, George G.	Palatine	Brickton	Alex Yonker
Augusta E. Scott	Brickton		Sept. 11, 1870
LEWIS, Joseph E.	Amboy, Ill.	White Rock	Wm. H. Strout
Margaret M. Hays	White Rock		Dec. 21, 1870

KENNEY, Owen Catherine Cook	Planc, Ill. Alton, Lee Co.	Alton	Wm. H. Strout Dec. 29, 1870
CLARK, Morris A. Elizabeth Fields	White Rock "	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout Jan. 3, 1871
MILLER, Geo. W. Sarah E. Peck	Custon "	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout Mar. 3, 1871
BIEDERSTADT, John Anna Issman	Rochelle	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout Mar. 13, 1871
JONES, Lewis Harriet E. Hays	White Rock "	Rochelle	Wm. H. Strout April 3, 1871
MOSS, Frank G. Cora F. Sherwin	Brickton "	Brickton	F. J. Swart June 14, 1871
CHADWICK, Robert Eliza A. Kay	East Niles "	Brickton	F. J. Swart June 28, 1871
YOCUM, ----- -----Priest	----- Winnebago	Brickton	Wm. H. Strout Aug. 19, 1871
HOUGHT, Walter Phebe A. Dykeman	----- DeKalb Co.	Malta	Wm. H. Strout Oct. 2, 1871
PAYNE, Charles Bessie Bloomfield	-----	-----	------ Feb. 14, 1887

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Records in the possession of Community Church of Park Ridge, Illinois.

BAPTISMS

SWEENEY, Hiram F. Infant son of John and Susanna Sweeney	Rev. Mr. Wells	July 2, 1843
BISHOP, Mary Daughter of Wm. and Sarah Bishop	Rev. Mr. Wells	July 2, 1843
CLARK, Frances Augusta Ellen Smith Daughters of John and Electa Clark	Rev. Mr. Wells	July 2, 1843
WILLSON, Dessux DeLoss Child of Sidney and Maria Willson	Rev. Mr. Wells	July 2, 1843
FERGUSON, Chas. (1)	Rev. Mr. Wells	July 2, 1843
WILLSON, Lydia Maria Daughter of Sidney and Maria Willson	Rev. Mr. French	Nov. 10, 1844
SWEENEY, Lucretia Daughter of Jno. and Susanna Sweeney	Rev. Mr. French	Nov. 10, 1844
CLYNE, Susanna Elibeth Wm.	Rev. Mr. French	Apr. 13, 1844
FERGUSON, Frances Violura Children of Stotts Ferguson and wife	Rev. A.W. Henderson	Feb. 14, 1847
SWEENEY, John Thos. (2)	Rev. A.W. Henderson	Feb. 14, 1847
SHERMAN, Jeremiah (3) Ann Eliza"	Rev. A.W. Henderson	Feb, 14, 1847

NOTES by Mary M. Perkins, for many years a member of and at one time Clerk of the Congregational Church.
(1) Believed to be children of Stotts M. Ferguson and wife.
(2) Believed to be child of Jno. and Susanna Sweeney.
(3) Believed to be children of Mr. and Mrs. Phineas Sherman.

HENDERSON, Howard — Rev. A. W. Henderson — Dec. 7, 1847

BISHOP, Maria Virginia — Rev. A. W. Henderson — Dec. 7, 1847
Daughter of Wm. and Sarah Bishop

CLYNE, Henry Augustus — July 9 (1848?)

LAIRD, Frederick Gilbert — March 7, 1869

MEACHAM — Rev. J. E. Barnard — March 6, 1870
*5 children of Mr. and Mrs. Royal Meacham

CRAVENS, Adaline D. — March 14, 1875
Helen A.

RICE, Bert M. (1) — Feb. 1, 1885

CADE, Lilian Isabelle — Sept. 5, 1886
Emma Louise
Daughters of Mr. and Mrs. R. Z. Cade

ARMSTRONG, John Lester — June 26, 1887
Warren Grant
Sons of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Armstrong

DIXON, Henry Nolick — June 26, 1887
Albirt Johnson
James Freeman
Sons of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Dixon

DAVIS, Mary Adelaide — June 26, 1887
Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Davis

EVANS, Ione de Sainte Cyr — June 26, 1887
Bijou Bessie de Lisle
Daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Evans

HIBBARD, Grace C. — June 26, 1887
Olive Leonora
Horace Allen

Children of Mr. and Mrs. Scott R. Hibbard

KINGWELL, Hazel Claire — June 26, 1887
Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kingwell

(1) Adult ? Mary M. Perkins.

* Mrs. Esther Meacham Ward of Park Ridge, granddaughter of Royal Meacham gives the names of the Meacham sons and daughters as Harriet, Bert, Alta, Mary, and Harvey.

HUMMEL, Roy John — May 5, 1888
Son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hummel

HOLBROOK, Helen Ruth — June 17, 1888
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Holbrook

HARVEY, Emma May — June 17, 1888
Edwin Wm.
Children of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Harvey

SUNDERMAN, Cordeau Garnett — June 17, 1888
Floyd Antrim
Sons of Mr. and Mrs. John Sunderman

GALLUP, Mrs. Mary Floy, adult — Jan. 6, 1889

EASTWOOD, Miss Bertha May, adult — Jan. 6, 1889

TERRY, Barton, adult — Jan. 6, 1889
Frances, adult

LAWSON, John Wilfred, adult — Jan. 6, 1889

WATSON, Bertha Rebecca, adult — Jan. 6, 1889

HIBBARD, Sidney Monroe — Feb. 3, 1889
Selma Milly
Children of Mr. and Mrs. Scott R. Hibbard

PHELPS, Joseph Augustus, adult — March 24, 1889

PHELPS, Arthur Forblis — March 24, 1889
Son of Joseph Augustus Phelps

WILLIAMS, Annie May, adult — March 24, 1889

PROPECK, Nellie Marie Williams, adult — March 24, 1889

ANDERSON, Florence Antoinette — Sept. 28, 1889
Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Anderson

COCHRAN, Clarence Aaron — Dec. 25, 1889
Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Cochran

SUNDERMAN, Gertrude — June 8, 1890
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sunderman

HUMMEL, Myrtle Naomi — June 8, 1890
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hummel

HOLBROOK, Elsie Louise — June 13, 1891
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Holbrook

CADE, Jennie Isabel — June 13, 1891
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Z. Cade

WILLIAMS, Richard — Baptized and received into membership by Rev. C. S. Leeper — Jan. 3, 1892

PERKINS, Lewis — " " " " " " " " "

FRICKE, Emma — " " " " " " " " "
Amanda — " " " " " " " " "

FILKINS, Lucy — " " " " " " " " "
Evelyn — " " " " " " " " "

KNIGHT, Eva — Nov. 6, 1892

KETCHUM, Glen — Nov. 6, 1892

HANSON, Bliss — Nov. 6, 1892

CARROLL, Mr. W. M. — March 8, 1893

COLE, Miss Ethel — March 8, 1893

BARDEEN, Miss Catherine — March 8, 1893

WARD, Harold Wm. — June 11, 1893

TAYLOR, Lillian Josephine — June 11, 1893

COPELAND, Albert Fraisbeck — June 11, 1893

HOLBROOK, Frances Eliz. — June 11, 1893

SUNDERMAN, Howard Clifton — June 11, 1893

*SEEGARD, Chas. Lewis — Nov. 5, 1893
David Ernest
Sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Seegard*

FRICKE, Miss Elsie — June 2, 1895

SAGE, Miss Cora — June 2, 1895

WEYRAUCH, ---- — July 3, 1895
Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Weyrauch

CRISLER, Alice Elizabeth — June 9, 1895
Frances Elida
Daughters of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Crisler

*Seegard sometimes spelled Cicard. Mary M. Perkins.

GALLUP, Emory Leland — Dec. 29, 1895
Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Gallup

ROCKWOOD, Edwin Franklin, adult — Dec. 29, 1895

HOLBROOK, Mable Atkinson — April 21, 1896
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Holbrook

WHITLOCK, Laura — April 21, 1896
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Whitlock

BURHANS, Ivan Denslow — April 21, 1896
Son of Rev. and Mrs. F. D. Burhans

SPAULDING, Mary Emily June — Oct. 11, 1896

CARPENTER, Ruth Haynes — Oct. 11, 1896
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Carpenter

JONES, John Edw., infant — Nov. 10, 1896

BROOKS, Anita May — Dec. 13, 1896
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brocks

TUNSBERG, Marie Antoinette — Feb. 7, 1897
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Tunsberg

LOWMAN, Chas. Le Roy — March 7, 1897
Son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Lowman

SCHMELTEKOPF, Louis Carl — March 7, 1897

GREIG, Muriel — April 18, 1897
Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greig

HOLBROOK, Rufus Sage — April 10, 1897
Son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Holbrook

SHEARMAN, Chloe Lilian — April 10, 1897
Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Shearman

BREWSTER, Edna May — April 10, 1897
Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Brewster

FARNHAM, Fanklyn Isador, infant — Nov. 5, 1899

CRISLER, Katherine — June 10, 1900
Frances
Daughters of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Crisler

WOODY, Wm. — June 10, 1900
Silas
Milton
Sons of Mr. and Mrs. Tedie F. Woody

ARMSTRONG, Willard — June 10, 1900
Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong

WARD, Doris M. — June 10, 1900
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ward

ARCHDEACON, Margaret — June 10, 1900
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Archdeacon

DEATHS OF EARLY MEMBERS - FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
PARK RIDGE, ILL.

CLARK, Electa	died Jan. 15, 1868
BROOKS, Sarah	June 30, 1849
BUTLER, J. H.	1900
MEACHAM, Silas	July 25, 1852
MEACHAM, Royal	1906
FRENCH, Mrs. Mary Jane	Oct. 12, 1879
GIBBS, Mrs. Emeline	Dec. 17, 1880
ROOT, Z. D.	Nov. 21, 1884
ROOT, Mrs. Z. D.	Sept. 9, 1886
CRISLER, Alice	Dec. 27, 1891
REED, David	1900
MEACHAM, Lydia	1889
BOURNES, Rev. J. H.	1906
EASTWOOD, Eliz.	March 5, 1892
HANSON, Mrs. Frances	Dec. 29, 1895
MELLON, Mrs. Katherine	May 2, 1898
WHITLOCK, Mrs. Emma	1908

From the CHURCH REGISTER of ST. MARY'S MISSION
PARK RIDGE, ILL.

Register in the possession of St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Park Ridge, Ill.

1. BAPTISMS

	Parents	Sponsors
MASTERS, Dorothy	George A. Masters Lottie E. Masters	William S. Daly Elizabeth Daly

Born Feby 30, 1890 - Baptized April 7, 1895, in Electric Hall, Park Ridge, by Rev. Edward H. Clark.

BUTLER, Edgar Harris — Leander Harvey Butler, Helen Archer Butler — Jennie Neitzsch, Janesville, Wis.

Born Oct. 13, 1893 - Baptized Palm Sunday 1895 in Electric Hall, Park Ridge, by Rev. Edward H. Clark.

PENNY, George Wilson
Arthur Wilson Penny
Clara Francis Penny

Born May 28, 1880, Park Ridge - Baptized Whitsunday 1895 in Electric Hall, Park Ridge, by Rev. Edward H. Clark.

PENNY, Edith Gertrude
Arthur Wilson Penny
Clara Francis Penny

Born May 1, 1874 - Baptized June 2, 1895, by Rev. Edward H. Clark.

PENNY, Mary Elizabeth
George W. Penny — Mrs. E. H. Clark
Laura Maria Penny — Mrs. E. H. Hunt

WILSON, Mary Augusta
George F. Wilson
Clara Bartlett

DAVIS, Elizabeth M. (Mrs.)
Samuel Lidden — Mary A. Wilson
Lizzie May — Mary E. Penny

Baptized Trinity Sunday, June 9, 1895 by Rev. Edward F. Clark.

	Parents	Sponsors

First Baptisms in the history of
St. Mary's Mission
R. F. Stockdale
L. G. Stockdale

STOCKDALE

Robert Ferguson, Jr. born Baltimore Sept. 1886
Norman Gilder born Kenwood, Chicago, February 1888
Kenneth Cooper born Park Ridge, Ill , May 1892

Baptized by Rev. Joseph Rushton at Park Ridge.

Notation in another handwriting reads, "This record of the first baptisms is not correct." "M.J.B."

DAVIS, John William — Mary Goodwin (Aunt)
Daniel Everett — of Dexter, Mich.
Ada Cecelia — witness

Born June 25, 1895- Baptized July 18, 1895, at home of Father, one mile south of Park Ridge by Rev. Edward H. Clark

PENNY, Arthur Wilson — Mrs. E. H. Clark
George W. Penny — Mrs. E. H. Hunt
Laura M. Penny — C. E. Anderson

Baptized Friday, November 15, 1895, in Electric Hall by Rev. Edward H. Clark.

PENNY, Clara Frances W. — Mrs. E. H. Clark
Geo. F. Wilson — Mrs. E. H. Hunt
Clara B. Wilson — C. E. Anderson

Baptized Friday, November 15, 1895, in Electric Hall by Rev. Edward H. Clark.

PHILLIPSON, William Henry — A. W. Penny
Wm. H'y Christian Phillip- — O. Coltzan
Emilie Rebecca son — Mrs. F. C. Peck

Born Sept. 27, 1883, Chicago- Baptized Easter Day, April 5, 1896, in St. Mary's Chapel by Rev. Edward H. Clark.

PHILLIPSON, Hugo Stanley — A. W. Penny
Wm. H'y Christian Phillipson — O. Coltzan
Emilie Rebecca Phillipson — Miss K. Foster

Born Sept. 3, 1888, Park Ridge- Baptized Easter Day, April 5, 1896, in St. Mary's Chapel by Rev. Edward H. Clark.

	Parents	Sponsors
PHILLIPSON, Juanita Augusta		Mrs. F. C. Peck
	Wm H'y Christian Phillipson	O. Coltzan
	Emilie Rebecca Phillipson	Miss K. Foster

Born Nov. 10, 1889, Park Ridge - baptized Easter Day, April 5, 1896, in St. Mary's Chapel by Rev. Edward H. Clark

MARTIN, Herbert William, born Dec. 1, 1886
Sidney Griswold, born Dec. 11, 1888
Irma Crane, born March 23, 1891
Eugene Moseley, born Dec. 26, 1892

	William H. Martin	A. W. Penny
	Nellie M. Martin	Geo. W. Penny
		Miss M. E. Penny
		Miss Mary A. Wilson

Baptized Easter Day, April 5, 1896, in dining room of vacant hotel, Park Ridge, Ill., by Rev. Edward H. Clark

THOMPKINS, Edith Elizabeth, born January 14, 1885
Gertrude Isabelle, born December 17, 1889

	Edmond E. Thompkins	Arthur W. Hale
	Mary Thompkins	Mrs. E. H. Clark

Baptized October 4, 1896, in St. Mary's Chapel by Rev. Edward H. Clark.

SILVESTER, James Cleghorn		Charles A. Brooks
	Charles F. Silvester	
	Jennie Silvester	C. F. Silvester

Baptized October 11, 1896, in St. Mary's Chapel by Rev. Edward H. Clark

MILLER, Willet Green	William A. Miller	Newton Eastman
	Maude E. Miller	Eliza Eastman

Born January 28, 1897, Edison Park, Ill., Baptized July 21, 1897, home of parents, Edison Park by Rev. Edward H. Clark.

RICHARDSON, David Welles		Walter M. Chute
	Fred Richardson	Geo. S. Welles, Jr.
	Ella Josephine Richardson	Mrs. H. P. Welles

Born April 8, 1898, Park Ridge. Baptized December 11, 1898, home of parents, Park Ridge, by Rev. Jno. M. Ericsson, Priest in Charge, St. Ann's, Chicago.

	Parents	Sponsors
RICHARDSON, Allan Barbour	Fred Richardson Ella Josephine Richardson	Geo.S. Welles, Jr. Mr. H. P. Barbour Mrs. H. P. Barbour

Born July 7, 1899, Park Ridge. Baptized December 25, 1899, St. Mary's Mission by Rev. Webster Hakes, Deacon in Charge.

DICKINSON, Donald Cary	Chas. M. Dickinson Genevieve E. Dickinson	Harvey B. Smith Mrs. H. B. Smith

Born Oct. 28, 1899, Park Ridge. Baptized Feb'y 18, 1900, St. Mary's Mission by Rev. Webster Hakes, Priest in Charge.

HOFFMAN, Winifred	Otto Hoffman Mrs. Adele Hoffman	Ed Tranar Mrs. Ed Tranar Mrs. Puhlman

Baptized June 9, 1901, St. Mary's Mission by B'p Anderson.

WILSON, Olive	G. Wilson Annie Wilson	G. White Mrs. Campbell Mrs. White

Baptized June 9, 1901, St. Mary's Mission by B'p Anderson.

PHILLIPSON, Emelia		Chas.F.Silvester Jennie Silvester Mrs. Penny

Baptized June 9, 1901, St. Mary's Mission by B'p Anderson.

SMITH, Junius Penny	H.B. Smith Edith Smith	Arthur Penny Geo. Penny Miss Wilson

Baptized April 4, 1901, St. Mary's Mission by Rev. Joseph Rushton.

CARSTENS, Robert	A.T. Carstens M. Carstens	A.T. Carstens Mrs. Anderson

Baptized July 14, 1901, St. Mary's Mission by Rev. H. C. Stone.

WOODWORTH, Lona	Dr. Woodworth Mrs. Woodworth	Mr. Brooks Mrs. Woodworth

Baptized July 14, 1901, St. Mary's Mission by Rev. H. C. Stone.

2. BURIALS

GILDEA, Frank E.
Place of birth Baltimore. Last residence Park Ridge, Ill. Place of burial service Congregational Church, Park Ridge. Place of interment Baltimore, Md.

DAVIS, Ada Cecelia
Aged 31 yrs. 7 mo. Last Residence Park Ridge. Funeral at husband's home, Park Ridge. Tempor. place of Int. Mt. Olivet.

PHILLIPSON, Emile
Aged 71 yrs. 6 mos. Last residence Park Ridge. Date of death Feby 22, 1896. Ulceration of stomach. Place of burial service - at home. Interment - Park Ridge.

CAVANAUGH, Ellen
Aged 68 yrs. Last residence Park Ridge. Date of death May 10, 1896. Quick consumption. Place of Burial Service R. H. Dakins', Park Ridge May 12, 1896. Interment Rose Hill, Chicago.

GILLICK, Jennie F.
Aged 24 yrs. Last residence Park Ridge. Date of death Sept. 19, 1896. Diptheria. Place of B.S. W. M. Gillick's, Park Ridge, Sept. 21, 1896. Int. Cemetary Park Ridge.

STANTON, George C.
Born in Chicago. Last residence Park Ridge. Date of death Oct. 18, 1896. Heart Disease. Place of B.S. Dr. Stanton's, Park Ridge, Oct. 19, 1896. Int. Cemetary Park Ridge.

NICHOLS, Sarah E.
Born in England. Age 73 yrs. 4 days. Last residence Park Ridge. Date of death Feby 17, 1897. Pl. of B. Service at house Feby 20, 1897. Interment Cemetary Park Ridge.

CARSTENS, Pete
Born in Park Ridge. Age 10 yrs. Last residence Park Ridge. Date of death Nov. 5, 1901. Killed by train. Place of Burial Service - at house Nov. 7, 1901. Interment Cemetary, Park Ridge. Minister Rev. H. C. Stone.

SUMMERS, Martha Silsbee
Born in Salem, Mass. Age 61 yrs., 11 mo., 28 days. Last residence Park Ridge. Date of death July 8, 1898. Malaria. Funeral held at St. Mary's Mission. Interm. Town of Maine Cemetary. Minister Rev. Harold Morse, Priest.

PARSONS, Rose Goodfellow
Age 46 yrs. Last residence Park Ridge. Date of death Nov. 23, 1901. Consumption. Funeral Park Ridge. Int. Town of Maine Cemetary May 19, 1902. Minister Rev. Aubrey F. Todrig.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Des Plaines, Illinois

BAPTIZED CHILDREN

PERRIN	Dec. 19, 1869
MORGAN	Dec. 19, 1869
DELONG	Dec. 19, 1869
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DELONG	Dec. 19, 1869
WHITCOMB	Dec. 19, 1869
LEE, Charles	Feb. 18, 1871
LEE, Frank	Feb. 18, 1871
LEE, Dadus	Feb. 18, 1871
LEE, Sarah	Feb. 18, 1871
LEE, Grove	Feb. 18, 1871
LEE, Bennie	Feb. 18, 1871
HILL, Emily Marian	Sept. 1873
BRIGHAM, Juliet Elizabeth	Aug. 3, 1879
WARD, William B.	Aug. 10
GOODELL, Percy Baily	Sept. 27, 1882
COOK, Nellie Ray	Sept. 1, 1889
GARLAND, Edward D.	Jan. 15, 1890
GARLAND, Alexander C.	Feb. 9, 1890
SCHLAGEL, Frank Lester	June 12, 1892 Died May 18, 1893
SCHLAGEL, Harlie Albert	June 12, 1892
SCHLAGEL, Edward Rand	June 12, 1892
FULLE, Elvin Willie	June 12, 1892 Born Dec. 9, 1891
FULLE, Freddy Albert	June 12, 1892 Born May 21, 1892
SULLIVAN, Harry	Dec. 8, 1892 Died Dec. 10, 1892
COOK, Elizabeth Edith	Apr. 2, 1893 Born Sept. 9, 1891
GARLAND, Regina Fannie	Apr. 2, 1893 Born Sept. 16, 1892
IMIG, Arthur Adam	Nov. 9, 1895 Born Jan. 26, 1895
LUIETH, George Arthur	Nov. 24, 1895 Born Oct. 24, 1895
HARTWELL, Leila May	March 2, 1896
HARTWELL, Edith Elizabeth	March 2, 1896
GODDARD, Stanley Earl	June 14, 1896
FLANDERS, Charles Walmsley	June 14, 1896
WOODS, Miriam Flanders	June 14, 1896
HAAS, Clara Margaret	Dec. 7, 1896
WOLFRAM, Harold George	June 6, 1897
KUNISCH, Ella	Oct. 24, 1897
KUNISCH, Oscar	Oct. 24, 1897
KUNISCH, Clara	Oct. 24, 1897
KUNISCH, Rosa	Oct. 24, 1897
KUNISCH, Elsie	Oct. 24, 1897

RADEN, Esther Mildred	June 11, 1899
WOLFRAM, Margaret Lillian	June 11, 1899
SMITH, Lucille Bertha	Sept. 3, 1899
SCOTT, Cornelia Augusta	Sept. 3, 1899
HUSTON, Mary Elizabeth	Sept. 3, 1899
HUSTON, Helen Scott	Sept. 3, 1899

EXCERPTS FROM

The One Hundredth Anniversary Booklet of

St. John's Evangelical Church, Bensenville, Illin ois

1849 - 1949

In the years 1834 to 1848 many immigrants from Hanover and especially from the village Schale, Westphalia, Germany, settled in those sections which are known today as Addison, Leyden and Elk Grove Townships in Cook and Du Page counties. The lot of those settlers was not easy. Their first duty was to build a log house. Many of their farm implements were home made. The fruit on their farms that was so laboriously raised, was taken on an oxcart to Chicago and all they could get for their money received was a sack of flour, or enough calico goods for a dress. These were the good old days.

The beginning of the United Evangelical St. John's Church, Addison Township, Du Page County, Illinois, dates back to the year 1848, when the settlers tried to organize an Evangelical church. The following were charter members: John G. Landmeier, J. Gerh. Stueve, John H. Schoppe, John Franzen, Fred Volberding, Gerh. Eitelmann, John H. Franzen, J. Henry Korthauer, Fr. Felderke, Bernh. Landmeier, Henry Kirchhoff, H. Hoppenstaedt, Fr. Heine, H. Hartmann, J. H. Duehne, Henry Kolze, Carl Schwertfeger, Christ Duntemann, Gerh. H. Landwehr, W. Niemeyer, Gerh. H. Franzen,

Bernh. H. Franzen, John Bernh. Schoppe, Christ Dierking, Fr. Schweitzer, Henry Heuer, Gerh. L. Esch and Henry Runge.

The first church was built on two acres of land donated by W. Niemeyer and M. L. Dunlap, to which three more acres were bought for $30.00. This is still the same location where the present church stands. The cost of the first church was $741.98.....The church was 56 ft. long and 36 ft. wide, and was dedicated on October 7, 1849 by the first Pastor, Rev. Ferd. Wucherer.....Rev. Wucherer died on June 16, 1850.

Rev. U. Moecklin, who came directly from Germany, was elected to be the second Pastor. His salary was $150 and a parsonage. In 1857 it was raised to $250.

In 1860 a school house was built next to the church.

THOMAS

1- Enoch Thomas,born in Pennsylvania 10 June 1781

died in Senecaville,Guernsey Co.O.

First wife,Charity Shipman,married in 1807.

one son - Ayres Thomas

Second wife,Ann Dilley,born in Sussex Co.,N.J. 3 Nov.1789

daughter of Ephraim & Lucy Niss(Ayres)Dilley

children:

1 - Hannah Thomas,born in Pennsylvania 2 December 1816,

married Glassner.

2 - William Dilley Thomas,born in Pennsylvania 20 Sept.1818;

died 20 May 1899 in LaFayette,Ill.;

married Lovina Kinney,Senecaville,Guernsey Co.O.

3 - Lucy Thomas,born Senecaville,Guernsey Co.O.14 June 1820;

married Campbell.

4 - Enoch Thomas,born Senecaville,Guernsey Co.O.20 Oct.1822;

5 - James Thomas,born in Senecaville,Guernsey Co.O.19 Dec.1824;

married Carolina Creighton.

6 - Ephraim Thomas,born in Senecaville,Guernsey Co.O.5 Feb.1827;

7 - Edward Thomas,born in Senecaville,Guernsey Co.O.19 June 1829.

8 - Martha Thomas,born Senecaville,Guernsey Co.O.1832;

died 1906; married Brock.

9 - Margaret Thomas,born Senecaville,Guernsey Co.O.5 Feb.1835;

married King.

10 - Mary Thomas,born Senecaville,Guernsey Co.O.1836.

The above,and the record on the following pages was copied from the Family Bible of William Dilley Thomas and which at the time

it was copied was in the possession of Elwood Thomas,now deceased,of Galesburg,Illinois. Mrs McClenahan,who made the copy neglected to copy name of publisher and date of publication, of the Bible. Mrs McClenahan's husband is a grandson of William Dilley Thomas,deceased.

2 - William Dilley Thomas,born in Guernsey Co.O.,20 September 1818; died at La Fayette,Illinois,20 May 1899; married 3 June 1841,Lovina Kinney,born in Guernsey Co.O.,2 September 1818; died 26 February 1913; daughter of David and Margaret (Schaeffer) Kinney.

Children:

1 - James L.Thomas,born in Guernsey Co.O. 30 May 1842; died 30 December 1862,Gallatin,Tenn.Civil War.

2 - Henry B.Thomas,born in Guernsey Co.O. 21 Jan.1844; died 14 February 1862.Civil War Soldier.

3 - Margaret Ann Thomas,born in Guernsey Co.O.10 Jan.1846; died 15 April 1943,Toulon,Ill.;
Married Elijah John McClenahan 16 December 1873.

4 - John Fletcher Thomas,born in Guernsey Co.O. 6 March 1848;

5 - William F.Thomas,born Guernsey Co.O. 10 June 1850; died 4 February 1929 in Arapahoe,Nebraska; married Eliza Jane Patty,Victoria,Ill.

6 - Mary C.Thomas,born Guernsey Co.O. 15 Sept.1852; died 1920 in Kewanee,Ill.
married George Mills.

7 - Erastus Thomas,born in Guernsey Co.O.12 Mar.1854;
died 20 November 1939,Arapahoe,Nebraska;
married at Galesburg,Ill. 22 August 1889,
Jerusha Stevenson,born 19 Aug.Elmore,Ill.
died 27 February 1917 Arapahoe,Nebraska.

8 - Elwood Thomas,born in Victoria,Knox Co.Ill.18 Apr.1856;
died in Galesburg,Ill. 20 June 1950;
married Saloma Kayser 10 June 1884,Cosper Co.Neb.
who died 25 December 1920.

9 - Ruth Thomas,born in Victoria,Knox Co.Ill.4 May 1858;
married Rev.Lewis T.Guild,at Galesburg,Ill.
She is still living.

10 - Abraham Lincoln Thomas,born in Victoria,Knox Co.Ill.,
8 June 1860;
died at Galesburg,Ill.15 February 1933;
married 31 December 1887 in Lincoln Co.,Neb.,
Olive Embry,born in Avilla,Ind.12 Mar.1869,
daughter of Colbert and Cunthia Embry. She
died 20 June 1950.

11 - Samuel Thomas,born in Victoria,Ill.24 June 1862;
died 3 March 1945;
married
two children.

LUDLUM -LUDLAM -LUDLOW

In July 1648,William Ludlam,wife Clemence Fordham,sons, William, Henry, Joseph, Anthony, Brother Anthony and sister Grace landed at Boston from the "Good Ship Triall". They came from Matlock,Derbyshire,England. In 1653 they are on the roster at South Hampton,Long Island. Here William bought a water powered mill which descended by will through four generations as did also his Great Bible. William died in 1667. His will,dated April 27, 1665 is will #1,Book One, in the New York Surrogates office. William fell heir to an estate in England, and directed his oldest son William to press the claim,but William second, was in failing health,and died about the time his Father died. In 1701 William seconds son John retained an attorney to press his claim to his Grandfathers estate under the law of primogeniture. The Attorney took the case for one eighth of the estate which must have been considerable to justify crossing the ocean in those times. John's subsequent prosperity seems to indicate that he won the case. (New York Historical Society Records). William sent his sons John, William, and Joseph to school, and the teacher wrote the name LUDLUM and that spelling"stuck". All the LUDLUMS in America doubtless descend from William,second. The Descendants of William first, sons,Henry, and Anthony have changed the name to LUDLOW. Brother Anthony's descendants are LUDLAMS. His son founded Cape May,New Jersey. William Seconds wife,Elizabeth Cole or Coe after his death married Nehemiah Smith,and her son married Nehemiah Smith's daughter - quite a mix-up. Elizabeth deeded real estate to each of her sons, and they bought more.

They all lived at Jamaica,Long Island. John's descendants are well known,but William third, and Joseph left no wills naming their children. There are seven LUDLUMS of the next generation who moved from Jamaica,Long Island,viz: William and Isaac to Goshen,New York,and are still LUDLUMS; Samuel and Abraham to Morristown,New Jersey,are now LUDLOWS: Joseph.Cornelius, and Odadiah,to Westfield,New Jersey; Cornelius' descendants are LUDLUMS; Josephs are LUDLOWS: and Obadiahs are mixed as I shall now explain. Obadiah had a daughter Sarah, and a son, Obadiah,Jr. Obadiah Jr.had five sons. He and four of his sons decided to change the name to LUDLOW. His son SMITH refused, and in anger moved to what was then the far west. He settled in Ohio on or before 1800,near the hamlet of Hopkinsville,Warren County,and in 1809 he bought 74 acres for $220.

FFom the above you will see that I have been unable to determine which, William or Joseph,is the father of Obadiah;it must be one of them as they were the only LUDLUMS other than John. As William third,and Joseph,died intestate,their estates would be settled by the court of Jamaica,Long Island where they lived,and their names of their heirs would appear in these records. I have recently learned that when Jamaica became a part of New York City,its court records were transferred to the State House at Albany. I'm too near the end of life,(83 in 1946) to make this investigation,and I pass it on to one of my descendants. This study has been a labor of love upon which I have expended much time and labor,and from which I have received not a penny. I dedicate it to the memory of my revered mother who was

born Rebecca Ludlum.

Ulysses Lincoln Monce,of the ninth generation in America. 3558 Montieth Ave.Cincinnati,Ohio.

The following is the direct line of descent of my husband, Smith Leroy Heaps,and my son John Marshall Heaps From William Ludlum and his wife Clemence Fordham.

Submitted by Charity M.Heaps(Mrs S.L.Heaps)
31a E.Central Blvd.,Kewanee,Ill.

1 - William Ludlam - born Matlock,Derbyshire,England. Came to South Hampton,Long Island,New York. Occupation - Miller. Married Clemence Fordham who died about 1667.

2 - William Ludlam - Born Matlock,Derbyshire,England. Came to South Hampton,Long Island,New York. Occupation - Miller. Married Elizabeth Coe or Cole. After his death she married Nehemiah Smith.

3 - William or Joseph Ludlum - Note change of spelling,from Ludlam to Ludlum. A school teacher spelled the name LUDLUM and that spelling stuck. For explanation of the two names appearing see foregoing pages. Born between 1653 and 1659.Lived at Jamaica,Long Island,New York.

4 - Obadiah Ludlum - Born Jamaica,Long Island,New York. Went to Westfield,New Jersey about 1720. He was a farmer. Married Sarah Watson who is buried at

Elizabeth,New Jersey. Died 1770.

5 - Obadiah Ludlum Jr. - Born Elizabeth,New Jersey. Married Phebe Marsh November 22,1759. She died Elizabeth N.J. 1790.

6 - Smith Ludlum - Born Sept.15,1765 at Elizabeth,New Jersey. Moved to Hopkinsville,Ohio. Farmer by occupation. Married Ruth Badgley,born January 9,1786. Died Hopkinsville,Ohio,1827.

7 - Smith Ludlum - Born August 1,1794,Elizabeth,New Jersey. Moved to Morrow County,Ohio. Farmer by occupation. Married Mary Reed,born 1819. Buried at Zoar,Ohio. Died Dec.31,1842. Their children:- Benjamin,born 1818; Nathan,born 1820; Eliakum,born 1822; Joseph,born 1824; James,born 1826; Rebecca,born 1828; George, born 1835;married Sarah Rebecca Sturm at Bradford,Illinois; Mary Ann Ludlum,married George Roach.

8 - George Ludlum - Born May 23,1835,Morrow Co.Ohio. Moved to Stark County,Illinois. Married Sarah Rebecca Sturm,Feb.21,1856. Enlisted in Civil War at Bradford August 12,1862. Mustered into service at Peoria,Ill. as a Private in Company B.112 Regiment,Illinois Infantry.Died Dec.26,1864 at Camp Parole,Maryland. Sarah Rebecca Sturm,daughter of Peter Sturm and

wife Jane Medaris Sturm was born March 8,1838. Three children born to this union: Ann Eliza; Peter Smith; Elikum Joseph.

9 - Ann Eliza Ludlum - Born November 22,1856 at Bradford,Illinois. Married August 1883,at Cambridge,Illinois to Samuel Lloyd Heaps. Died at Pauline,Nebraska, January 1888. Two children were born to this union; Guy Claud,born 1886,married Verda Postin at Kewanee,Illinois,1906.(Three children,-Theodore Garnet,Madolin,Guy Jr.) (2)Smith Leroy born Sept. ~~kennykburn~~ 26,1887,at Pauline,Nebraska.

10 - Smith Leroy Heaps - Born at Pauline,Nebraska,Sept.26,1887. Married at Kewanee,Illinois,Feb.21,1910 to Charity Martha Potter,born July 19,1887 at Kewanee,Illinois. Daughter of Noble Elbert Potter and wife,Emma Louise Massey Potter. One son born to this union,-John Marshall Heaps.

11 - John Marshall Heaps - Born August 18,1921,at Kewanee,Illinois. Married August 31,1947 to Clyta Gertrude Lovejoy,born Dec.17,1919 at Kewanee,Illinois,daughter of Clyde Lovejoy and wife Myrtle McLaughlin Lovejoy.

BEERS

1 - Jabeth Beers (Morristown,N.J.) married Catherine

Their son

2 -Daniel Beers,born Dec.30,1752. Will dated June 3,1790, Mendham N.J. Married April 1,1774,Asuba Pitney,born Nov.27,1755,dau. of Benjamin and Azuba Byram Pitney.

Their daughter

3 - Tryphena Beers,born June 27,1780. Died Feb.3,1868,New Jersey. Married Oct.25,1796 to Jacob Young,born Nov. 30,1750; Died Feb.16,1826. Son of John Young,born Nov. 30,1750;died Feb.16,1826,Knox Co.,Ohio.,and his wife Hannah Mitchell,born Aug.26,1753;died Sept.21,1828 near Fredericktown,O.

Their son

4 - Daniel Beers Young,born Sept.16,1800,Byrum Twp.,Sussex Co., N.J.;died Aug.5,1885 at Morrison,Ill. Married Nov.24, 1824 to Betsy(Elizabeth) Jackson,daughter of David Jackson,born Sept.30,1786,Knox Co.O.and his wife Prudence Hathaway.Betsy Jackson born Oct.28,1805;died at Morrison, Ill.Jan.13,1872.(Obituary in possession of Mrs S.J.Heaps, 312 E.Central Blvd.,Kewanee,Ill.)

Their daughter

5 - Charity Ann Young,born Feb.25,1829,Knox Co.O.Died Dec.5,1896 at Kewanee,Ill.Married March 27,1849 at Lafayette,Ill.to John Philo Potter,born Mar.26,1823,Knox Co.O.;died Oct.23 1898 at Kewanee,Ill. Son of David and Elizabeth Cosner Potter.

Their son

6 - Noble Elbert Potter,born Nov.21,1859,at Kewanee,Ill.Died Nov. 7,1949 at Kewanee,Ill;married Oct.20,1886 at Virginia,

Ill.,to Emma Louise Massey,born May 9,1860,at Virginia,Ill., daughter of Henderson Ellis and Martha Marshall Massey.

Their daughter

7 - Charity Martha Potter,born July 19,1887 at Kewanee,Ill.; married Feb.21,1910 at Kewanee,Ill. to Smith Leroy Heaps, born Sept.26,1887 at Pauline,Neb.,son of Samuel Lloyd Heaps,born Apr.15,1851 at Kewanee,Ill.;died June 25,1900 at Kansas City,Kan.,and his wife Ann Eliza Ludlum Heaps, born Nov.22,1856 at Bradford,Ill.;d.Jan.1888 at Pauline,Neb.

Their son

8 - John Marshall Heaps,born Aug.18,1921,at Kewanee,Ill.Mar.at Kewanee,Ill.Aug.31,1947 to Clyta Gertrude Lovejoy,born Dec. 17,1919 at Kewanee,Ill.,dau.of Clyde A.lLovejoy,b.June 10, 1886 at Annawan,Ill.,d.Apr.4,1949 at Kewanee,Ill.,and his wife Myrtle McLaughlin Lovejoy.

This record ties together the BEES,YOUNG,POTTER,HEAPS, and LOVEJOY Families,and includes the Jackson and Massey families.

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